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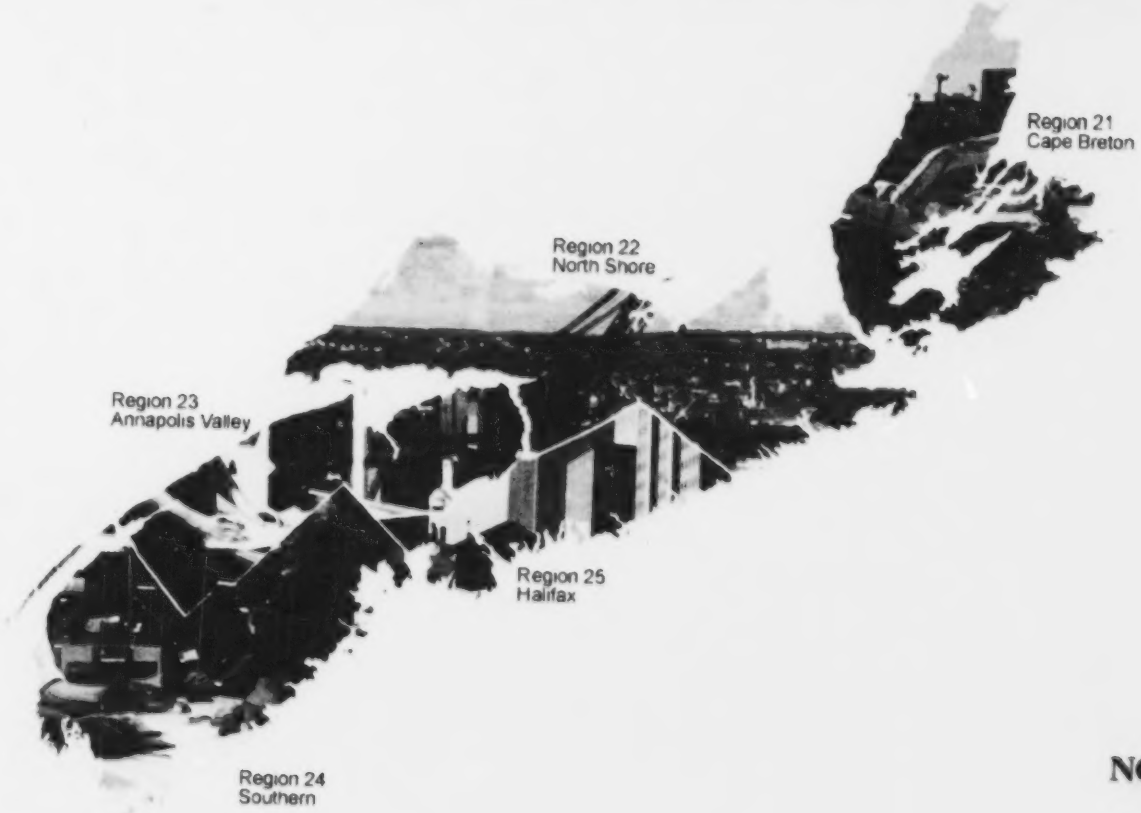

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Introduction

The *Labour Force Data, Historical, 1996 to 2005*, has been compiled using the Labour Force Survey series from Statistics Canada's CANSIM[1] database. Statistics Canada also disseminates historical labour force data in their annual LFS CD-ROM product—see *2005 Labour Force Historical Review*, Catalogue No. 71F0004XCB[2]. While the Economics & Statistics Division's Labour Force Data, Historical includes key labour force indicators 1996 to 2005, the Statistics Canada CANSIM and CD series of LFS estimates, contains thousands of cross-classified data series, with most of the data spanning 1976 to 2005. In addition to the tables included on the following pages, the Statistics Canada CANSIM and CD products can also be referenced on a much wider range of monthly and annual labour force data (see subject areas below).

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[1] See: http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgi.exe?CANSIMFile=CII/CII_1_E.IITM&RootDir=CII/

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About the Labour Force Survey (LFS)

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) is a household survey carried out monthly by Statistics Canada. Begun in 1945, the objectives of the LFS have been to divide the working-age population into three mutually exclusive classifications: 1) employed, 2) unemployed, and 3) not in the labour force; and to provide descriptive and explanatory data on each of these categories. Data from the survey provides information on major labour trends such as shifts in employment across industrial sectors, hours worked, labour force participation and unemployment rates.

The LFS survey uses a sample of individuals who are representative of the civilian, non-institutionalized population 15 years of age or older in Canada's ten provinces. Residents of the Territories, persons living on Indian Reserves, full-time members of the Canadian Armed Forces and residents of institutions are not included in the survey's coverage. There are currently 3,005 Nova Scotia households in the current sample and 53,648 households in total across Canada.

Definitions—the key definitions used in the LFS follow. For a more detailed dictionary of concepts and definitions refer to Statistics Canada, *Guide to the Labour Force Survey*, Catalogue No. 71-543-GIE.

Population: The target population covered by the survey corresponds to all persons aged 15 years and over residing in the provinces of Canada, with the exception of the following: 1) persons living on Indian Reserves, 2) full-time members of the regular Armed Forces, and 3) persons living in institutions.

Labour Force: The civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over that, during the survey reference week, was employed or unemployed and actively looking for work. Prior to 1966, persons aged 14 and over were covered by the survey.

Employment: Employed persons are those persons who, during the reference week, did any work for pay or profit, or had a job and were absent from work.

Full-time Employment: Refers to those persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week at their main or only job.

Part-time Employment: Refers to those persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week at their main or only job.

Unemployment: Unemployed persons are those persons who, during reference week, were available for work and were either on temporary layoff, had looked for work in the past four weeks, or had a job to start within the next four weeks.

Not in the Labour Force: Persons not in the labour force are those who, during the reference week, were unwilling or unable to offer or supply labour services under conditions existing in their labour markets, that is, they were neither employed nor unemployed.

Unemployment Rate: The number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force. The unemployment rate for a particular group (age, sex, marital status, etc.) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group.

Participation Rate: The total labour force expressed as a percentage of the population aged 15 years and over. The participation rate for a particular group (for example, women aged 25 years and over) is the labour force in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

Employment Rate: The number of employed persons expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The employment rate for a particular group (age, sex, marital status, province, etc.) is the number employed in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey (LFS) Revisions

On Wednesday, January 25, 2006, revisions were released affecting all Labour Force Survey estimates from January 1987 to December 2005. Reasons for this revision:

- The revision will enable the use of improved population benchmarks in the LFS estimation process. These improved benchmarks will provide better information on the number of non-permanent residents.

- There will be changes to the data for the public and private sectors from 1987 to 1999. Previously, the data on the public and private sectors for this period was based on an old definition of the public sector. The revised data will better reflect the current public sector definition; thus, resulting in a longer time series for analysis.

- The geographic coding of several small Census Agglomerations (CA) have been updated historically from 1996 urban centre boundaries to 2001 CA boundaries. This affects data from January 1987 to December 2004.

Release Dates 2006 – Statistics Canada's Monthly Labour Force Survey

Data for:	*Release Date:*
January 2006	February 10, 2006
February 2006	March 10, 2006
March 2006	April 7, 2006
April 2006	May 5, 2006
May 2006	June 9, 2006
June 2006	July 7, 2006
July 2006	August 4, 2006
August 2006	September 8, 2006
September 2006	October 6, 2006
October 2006	November 3, 2006
November 2006	December 1, 2006
December 2006	January 5, 2007

Statistics Canada's Labour Force Products and Services

Monthly:

Labour Force Information (Catalogue No. 71-001-XIE) is released at 7 a.m. (EST) on the morning of each monthly release. It is used as a quick reference to the latest labour market trends.

Monthly/Quarterly:

Perspectives on Labour and Income is available on Statistics Canada's web site (www.statcan.ca) on a monthly basis (Catalogue No. 75-001-XIE) and as a print publication on a quarterly basis (Catalogue No. 75-001-XPE). The publication brings together and analyses a wide range of timely labour and income issues.

Annual:

Labour Force Historical Review on CD-ROM (Catalogue No. 71F0004XCB) is released in February each year. The product contains thousands of cross-classified data series for a wider range of labour force data and spans from 1976 to current year.

The Guide to the Labour Force Survey (Catalogue No. 71-543GIE) contains a dictionary of concepts and definitions and covers topics such as survey methodology, data collection, data processing and data quality. It also contains information on products and services, sub-provincial geography descriptions, as well as, the survey questionnaire. This publication is free on the Statistics Canada Internet site.

Microdata File (Catalogue No. 71M0001XDB) includes demographic and labour related variables intended for

heavy users of LFS data who prefer to create their own custom tabulations.

Occasional:

The *Canadian Labour Market at a Glance* (Catalogue No. 71-222-XWE) presents charts and highlights of key trends in Canada's job market. This publication is free on the Statistics Canada Internet.

Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey (Catalogue No. 71-526-XPB) would be of interest to those persons who would like more in-depth information on the methodological and operational aspects of the LFS.

Research Paper, *Improvements in 2006 to the Labour Force Survey (LFS)* (Catalogue No. 71F0031-XIE, No. 003).

Other:

CANSIM, Statistics Canada's electronic online database, provides high-demand monthly and annual average time series LFS data sets.

Custom Tabulations can be arranged on an ad hoc or regular basis to meet user requirements.

Free Data (Internet)—selected LFS tables are updated each month on the Statistic Canada web site www.statcan.ca in *Canadian Statistics*.

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Overview – Nova Scotia Labour Force and Employment in 2005

Employment in Nova Scotia averaged 443,100 in 2005, a gain of 900 over 2004 (0.2 per cent) and 66,200 or 17.6 per cent above the 1996 figure. Between 1996 and 2005, there has been a 19.7 per cent increase in full-time jobs and a 9.1 per cent gain in part-time positions. During this period, full-time and part-time female employment rose 27.1 per cent and 11.9 per cent respectively, while male full-time and part-time employment increased 14.5 per cent and 3.2 per cent respectively. In 2005, while 88.8 per cent of men employed were full-time and 11.2 per cent part-time, 73.2 per cent of employed women worked full-time and 26.8 per cent worked part-time.

Employment in Canada stood at 16,169,700 in 2005, up 1.4 per cent over the previous year and 20.5 per cent over 1996. Newfoundland and Labrador was the only province across Canada to display an employment decline from 2004 and 2005 (200 fewer people employed). The employment growth in the remaining Atlantic Provinces included New Brunswick (+400) and Prince Edward Island (+1,300 persons).

In 2005, Nova Scotia's number of unemployed persons decreased by 2,000 from the previous year. The annual unemployment rate was 8.4 per cent in 2005, as compared to 8.8 per cent in 2004 and 12.4 per cent in 1996. Canada's unemployment rate in 2005 was 6.8 per cent, down 0.4 percentage points from 2004, and it stood at 9.6 per cent in 1996. From 2004 to 2005, the unemployment rate decreased in all provinces.

Unemployment Rate, Canada and the Provinces, 2005

Geography	Unemployment Rate (per cent)	Percentage Points Change over 2004
Newfoundland & Labrador	15.2	-0.5
Prince Edward Island	10.9	-0.5
New Brunswick	9.7	-0.1
Nova Scotia	**8.4**	**-0.4**
Quebec	8.3	-0.2
Canada	**6.8**	**-0.4**
Ontario	6.6	-0.2
British Columbia	5.9	-1.3
Saskatchewan	5.1	-0.2
Manitoba	4.8	-0.5
Alberta	3.9	-0.7

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM Table 282-0002

Employment in the goods-producing sector of the province, which represented 20.6 per cent of total employment in 2005, decreased 2.7 per cent over the previous year. Within the goods producing sector in 2005, percentage increases over 2004 in employment were noted in the following industries: agriculture (7.4 per cent); forestry and logging with support activities (10.8 per cent); fishing, hunting and trapping (3.9 per cent); and mining and oil and gas extraction (16.0 per cent), while declines were noted in utilities (4.0 per cent), construction (1.8 per cent); and manufacturing (7.6 per cent). The change, in terms of actual employment numbers, was minimal in all goods industries.

There was a 1.0 per cent growth in employment in Nova Scotia's service sector during the same period. Percentage increases in employment in the service sector industries from 2004 to 2005 were in health care and social assistance (4.5 per cent); trade (4.1 per cent); other services (2.0 per cent); accommodation and food services (1.6 per cent); and public administration (0.7 per cent). The most significant percentage decline in employment within the service sector industries was information, culture and recreation (4.8 per cent). In terms of actual employment numbers, change was minimal in all service sector industries with the exception of trade (3,100 more persons employed) and health care and social assistance (2,400 more persons employed).

The Halifax[1] unemployment rate in 2005 decreased 0.2 percentage points over 2004 to 5.8 per cent and represented a 2.4 percentage point decline over 1996. The Halifax employment rate (ratio of number of persons employed as a percentage of population 15 years of age and over) was 65.6 per cent in 2005, a 0.6 percentage point decline over 2004 and a 3.8 per cent increase over 1996.

The following table indicates the unemployment rate of the regions of Nova Scotia in 2005 and compares the change over 2004.

Unemployment Rate, Nova Scotia by Region, 2005

Geography	Unemployment Rate (per cent)	Percentage Points Change over 2004
Nova Scotia	8.4	-0.4
Cape Breton	14.4	-1.2
North Shore	8.7	-1.3
Annapolis Valley	**8.4**	**-0.2**
Southern	11.2	1.0
Halifax	**5.8**	**-0.2**

Source: Statistics Canada, CANSIM Table 282-0002

[1] The geographic boundary changes from 1996 Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) to the 2001 SGC have affected Census Metropolitan areas. As a result, the Halifax CMA boundary is now aligned with the 2001 Census boundary. Thus, Halifax CMA and Halifax Region now occupy the same boundary area.

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TABLE 1 - Labour Force Characteristics, Canada and Provinces, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Geography	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	Population	22,967.1	23,255.5	23,522.8	23,786.9	24,094.2	24,444.3	24,797.3	25,106.5	25,443.4	25,805.5
	Labour force	14,853.5	15,079.1	15,316.3	15,588.3	15,847.0	16,109.8	16,579.3	16,958.5	17,182.3	17,342.6
	Employment	13,421.4	13,706.0	14,046.2	14,406.7	14,764.2	14,946.2	15,310.4	15,672.3	15,947.0	16,169.7
	Full-time employment	10,861.4	11,089.3	11,403.4	11,759.5	12,093.6	12,242.5	12,439.3	12,705.3	12,998.1	13,206.2
	Part-time employment	2,560.0	2,616.7	2,642.8	2,647.3	2,670.6	2,703.7	2,871.1	2,967.0	2,948.9	2,963.5
	Unemployment	1,432.2	1,373.1	1,270.1	1,181.6	1,082.8	1,163.6	1,268.9	1,286.2	1,235.3	1,172.8
	Not in labour force	8,113.6	8,176.4	8,206.4	8,198.6	8,247.2	8,334.5	8,218.0	8,147.9	8,261.1	8,462.9
	Unemployment rate	9.6	9.1	8.3	7.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.6	7.2	6.8
	Participation rate	64.7	64.8	65.1	65.5	65.8	65.9	66.9	67.5	67.5	67.2
	Employment rate	58.4	58.9	59.7	60.6	61.3	61.1	61.7	62.4	62.7	62.7
Newfoundland and Labrador	Population	443.7	439.4	433.7	431.2	429.4	427.3	426.8	428.8	429.9	429.7
	Labour force	231.7	230.9	234.3	241.9	237.8	242.7	248.5	254.1	254.3	252.5
	Employment	187.5	188.3	192.4	201.0	198.0	203.8	207.2	212.3	214.3	214.1
	Full-time employment	156.3	156.7	160.7	169.7	168.5	174.3	174.3	179.8	182.3	182.0
	Part-time employment	31.2	31.6	31.7	31.3	29.5	29.5	32.9	32.5	32.0	32.0
	Unemployment	44.2	42.6	41.9	41.0	39.8	39.0	41.4	41.8	40.0	38.4
	Not in labour force	212.0	208.6	199.4	189.3	191.6	184.5	178.3	174.7	175.6	177.2
	Unemployment rate	19.1	18.4	17.9	16.9	16.7	16.1	16.7	16.5	15.7	15.2
	Participation rate	52.2	52.5	54.0	56.1	55.4	56.8	58.2	59.3	59.2	58.8
	Employment rate	42.3	42.9	44.4	46.6	46.1	47.7	48.5	49.5	49.8	49.8
Prince Edward Island	Population	104.4	105.2	105.6	106.3	106.9	107.8	108.7	109.8	110.9	111.6
	Labour force	68.9	69.4	69.2	70.4	71.3	72.3	73.5	74.3	75.4	76.5
	Employment	58.9	58.8	59.6	60.2	62.7	63.6	64.7	66.1	66.9	68.2
	Full-time employment	48.3	48.5	49.1	50.1	52.4	53.5	54.2	55.0	55.8	56.7
	Part-time employment	10.6	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.5	11.1	11.1	11.5
	Unemployment	10.1	10.7	9.6	10.1	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.2	8.5	8.3
	Not in labour force	35.5	35.8	36.3	35.9	35.6	35.5	35.2	35.5	35.5	35.1
	Unemployment rate	14.7	15.4	13.9	14.3	12.1	11.9	12.0	11.0	11.3	10.8
	Participation rate	66.0	66.0	65.5	66.2	66.7	67.1	67.6	67.7	68.0	68.5
	Employment rate	56.4	55.9	56.4	56.6	58.7	59.0	59.5	60.2	60.3	61.1

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TABLE 1 - Labour Force Characteristics, Canada and Provinces, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Geography	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	Population	724.7	728.3	730.8	735.0	739.2	742.6	747.5	752.7	757.1	760.7
	Labour force	430.1	435.1	441.8	446.8	452.8	460.0	467.7	474.6	485.0	483.9
	Employment	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	Full-time employment	300.9	302.5	317.5	326.7	335.2	341.2	342.9	348.7	358.7	360.1
	Part-time employment	76.0	79.5	77.8	77.2	76.2	74.0	80.0	82.4	83.5	82.9
	Unemployment	53.2	53.1	46.6	42.9	41.4	44.8	44.8	43.4	42.8	40.8
	Not in labour force	294.6	293.2	289.0	288.2	286.5	282.6	279.8	278.1	272.1	276.8
	Unemployment rate	12.4	12.2	10.5	9.6	9.1	9.7	9.6	9.1	8.8	8.4
	Participation rate	59.3	59.7	60.5	60.8	61.3	61.9	62.6	63.1	64.1	63.6
	Employment rate	52.0	52.5	54.1	55.0	55.7	55.9	56.6	57.3	58.4	58.2
New Brunswick	Population	590.3	592.9	593.7	595.9	598.3	600.0	602.4	605.0	607.6	610.4
	Labour force	345.5	354.1	359.1	362.4	368.0	371.5	382.0	382.4	388.0	388.2
	Employment	305.5	309.1	315.2	325.5	331.2	330.1	343.1	343.1	350.1	350.5
	Full-time employment	252.9	257.1	264.5	272.7	280.2	280.8	288.9	289.7	294.6	293.4
	Part-time employment	52.6	52.0	50.7	52.8	51.0	49.3	54.2	53.3	55.4	57.1
	Unemployment	40.0	45.0	43.9	36.9	36.8	41.4	38.9	39.4	38.0	37.7
	Not in labour force	244.8	238.8	234.6	233.5	230.3	228.5	220.4	222.6	219.5	222.2
	Unemployment rate	11.6	12.7	12.2	10.2	10.0	11.1	10.2	10.3	9.8	9.7
	Participation rate	58.5	59.7	60.5	60.8	61.5	61.9	63.4	63.2	63.9	63.6
	Employment rate	51.8	52.1	53.1	54.6	55.4	55.0	57.0	56.7	57.6	57.4
Quebec	Population	5,737.3	5,772.1	5,806.0	5,845.0	5,889.0	5,939.9	5,995.0	6,049.4	6,112.8	6,182.2
	Labour force	3,551.7	3,582.3	3,631.5	3,670.5	3,717.5	3,771.1	3,907.7	3,992.8	4,024.1	4,052.7
	Employment	3,129.8	3,172.8	3,257.5	3,328.1	3,402.8	3,440.2	3,569.9	3,628.8	3,680.5	3,717.3
	Full-time employment	2,570.2	2,604.8	2,686.6	2,770.7	2,830.7	2,849.4	2,930.8	2,957.7	3,012.2	3,043.6
	Part-time employment	559.6	568.0	570.9	557.4	572.1	590.8	639.1	671.1	668.3	673.7
	Unemployment	421.9	409.6	374.0	342.4	314.7	330.9	337.9	364.0	343.7	335.4
	Not in labour force	2,185.7	2,189.7	2,174.6	2,174.6	2,171.5	2,168.8	2,087.3	2,056.6	2,088.7	2,129.6
	Unemployment rate	11.9	11.4	10.3	9.3	8.5	8.8	8.6	9.1	8.5	8.3
	Participation rate	61.9	62.1	62.5	62.8	63.1	63.5	65.2	66.0	65.8	65.6
	Employment rate	54.6	55.0	56.1	56.9	57.8	57.9	59.5	60.0	60.2	60.1

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Geography	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	Population	8,660.6	8,785.5	8,913.6	9,043.6	9,209.6	9,402.5	9,590.0	9,742.3	9,901.9	10,070.4
	Labour force	5,680.2	5,776.4	5,877.2	6,018.2	6,172.7	6,327.0	6,493.7	6,676.2	6,775.4	6,849.1
	Employment	5,167.1	5,291.4	5,453.3	5,636.7	5,817.1	5,926.2	6,031.4	6,213.2	6,316.5	6,397.7
	Full-time employment	4,174.3	4,277.2	4,435.2	4,622.1	4,772.5	4,868.7	4,930.4	5,063.4	5,171.7	5,242.7
	Part-time employment	992.8	1,014.1	1,018.0	1,014.5	1,044.6	1,057.5	1,101.0	1,149.8	1,144.8	1,155.0
	Unemployment	513.1	485.0	424.0	381.6	355.6	400.8	462.4	463.1	458.9	451.3
	Not in labour force	2,980.4	3,009.2	3,036.4	3,025.4	3,036.9	3,075.5	3,096.2	3,066.1	3,126.5	3,221.3
	Unemployment rate	9.0	8.4	7.2	6.3	5.8	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.6
	Participation rate	65.6	65.7	65.9	66.5	67.0	67.3	67.7	68.5	68.4	68.0
	Employment rate	59.7	60.2	61.2	62.3	63.2	63.0	62.9	63.8	63.8	63.5
Manitoba	Population	840.2	843.1	845.4	850.5	856.0	861.1	866.5	873.6	881.8	888.6
	Labour force	558.0	562.1	565.8	573.7	581.1	583.7	597.8	600.3	608.9	609.4
	Employment	517.4	525.6	534.2	541.4	552.3	554.3	567.2	570.3	576.6	580.3
	Full-time employment	408.2	419.3	430.4	435.2	447.9	447.8	454.2	458.3	465.6	466.5
	Part-time employment	109.3	106.3	103.8	106.2	104.4	106.4	113.0	112.0	111.0	113.9
	Unemployment	40.6	36.5	31.6	32.3	28.8	29.5	30.6	30.0	32.3	29.1
	Not in labour force	282.2	281.0	279.6	276.8	274.9	277.4	268.7	273.3	272.8	279.1
	Unemployment rate	7.3	6.5	5.6	5.6	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.3	4.8
	Participation rate	66.4	66.7	66.9	67.5	67.9	67.8	69.0	68.7	69.1	68.6
	Employment rate	61.6	62.3	63.2	63.7	64.5	64.4	65.5	65.3	65.4	65.3
Saskatchewan	Population	748.6	749.5	750.6	750.4	747.5	744.5	742.7	743.4	745.9	748.4
	Labour force	489.6	495.7	499.5	501.9	499.2	488.5	496.4	504.3	506.7	509.4
	Employment	456.8	466.2	470.5	471.6	473.5	460.3	468.3	476.1	479.7	483.5
	Full-time employment	359.4	369.0	375.9	375.3	380.7	371.1	373.4	380.2	386.1	389.7
	Part-time employment	97.4	97.2	94.6	96.3	92.8	89.2	94.9	95.9	93.6	93.8
	Unemployment	32.7	29.5	29.0	30.4	25.7	28.2	28.2	28.2	27.0	25.9
	Not in labour force	259.1	253.8	251.1	248.4	248.3	256.0	246.3	239.1	239.1	239.0
	Unemployment rate	6.7	6.0	5.8	6.1	5.1	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.1
	Participation rate	65.4	66.1	66.5	66.9	66.8	65.6	66.8	67.8	67.9	68.1
	Employment rate	61.0	62.2	62.7	62.8	63.3	61.8	63.1	64.0	64.3	64.6

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TABLE 1 - Labour Force Characteristics, Canada and Provinces, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Geography	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Alberta	Population	2,088.2	2,140.7	2,204.1	2,255.5	2,307.7	2,363.2	2,417.9	2,461.0	2,505.8	2,555.6
	Labour force	1,509.4	1,542.6	1,599.6	1,637.7	1,666.8	1,710.3	1,764.2	1,808.8	1,842.4	1,857.5
	Employment	1,405.1	1,451.4	1,509.9	1,544.0	1,584.0	1,630.9	1,670.8	1,716.7	1,757.5	1,784.4
	Full-time employment	1,140.0	1,180.4	1,223.1	1,248.4	1,292.3	1,338.1	1,373.9	1,407.6	1,440.2	1,477.6
	Part-time employment	265.1	271.0	286.8	295.6	291.7	292.8	296.9	309.1	317.2	306.8
	Unemployment	104.4	91.2	89.7	93.7	82.8	79.4	93.4	92.2	85.0	73.1
	Not in labour force	578.7	598.2	604.6	617.9	640.9	652.8	653.7	652.2	663.4	698.1
	Unemployment rate	6.9	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.0	4.6	5.3	5.1	4.6	3.9
	Participation rate	72.3	72.1	72.6	72.6	72.2	72.4	73.0	73.5	73.5	72.7
	Employment rate	67.3	67.8	68.5	68.5	68.6	69.0	69.1	69.8	70.1	69.8
British Columbia	Population	3,029.0	3,098.7	3,139.1	3,173.5	3,210.6	3,255.4	3,299.7	3,340.5	3,389.8	3,447.9
	Labour force	1,988.4	2,030.6	2,038.3	2,064.8	2,079.9	2,082.6	2,147.6	2,190.7	2,221.9	2,263.4
	Employment	1,816.4	1,860.5	1,858.4	1,894.4	1,931.3	1,921.6	1,965.0	2,014.7	2,062.7	2,130.5
	Full-time employment	1,450.8	1,473.7	1,460.3	1,488.6	1,533.3	1,517.6	1,516.4	1,564.9	1,630.8	1,693.9
	Part-time employment	365.6	386.7	398.0	405.8	398.0	404.0	448.7	449.7	431.9	436.7
	Unemployment	172.0	170.1	179.9	170.4	148.6	161.1	182.6	176.0	159.2	132.9
	Not in labour force	1,040.6	1,068.1	1,100.8	1,108.7	1,130.7	1,172.8	1,152.0	1,149.8	1,167.9	1,184.5
	Unemployment rate	8.7	8.4	8.8	8.3	7.1	7.7	8.5	8.0	7.2	5.9
	Participation rate	65.6	65.5	64.9	65.1	64.8	64.0	65.1	65.6	65.5	65.6
	Employment rate	60.0	60.0	59.2	59.7	60.2	59.0	59.6	60.3	60.9	61.8

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005
Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005 CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0002

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TABLE 2 - Labour Force Characteristics, by Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Geography	Sex	Year	Population	Labour Force	Employment	Full-time Employment	Part-time Employment	Unemployment	Not in Labour Force	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate	Employment Rate
Canada	Both sexes	1996	22,967.1	14,853.5	13,421.4	10,861.4	2,560.0	1,432.2	8,113.6	9.6	64.7	58.4
		1997	23,255.5	15,079.1	13,706.0	11,089.3	2,616.7	1,373.1	8,176.4	9.1	64.8	58.9
		1998	23,522.8	15,316.3	14,046.2	11,403.4	2,642.8	1,270.1	8,206.4	8.3	65.1	59.7
		1999	23,786.9	15,588.3	14,406.7	11,759.5	2,647.3	1,181.6	8,198.6	7.6	65.5	60.6
		2000	24,094.2	15,847.0	14,764.2	12,093.6	2,670.6	1,082.8	8,247.2	6.8	65.8	61.3
		2001	24,444.3	16,109.8	14,946.2	12,242.5	2,703.7	1,163.6	8,334.5	7.2	65.9	61.1
		2002	24,797.3	16,579.3	15,310.4	12,439.3	2,871.1	1,268.9	8,218.0	7.7	66.9	61.7
		2003	25,106.5	16,958.5	15,672.3	12,705.3	2,967.0	1,286.2	8,147.9	7.6	67.5	62.4
		2004	25,443.4	17,182.3	15,947.0	12,998.1	2,948.9	1,235.3	8,261.1	7.2	67.5	62.7
		2005	25,805.5	17,342.6	16,169.7	13,206.2	2,963.5	1,172.8	8,462.9	6.8	67.2	62.7
	Men	1996	11,260.0	8,129.1	7,322.4	6,531.4	791.0	806.8	3,130.9	9.9	72.2	65.0
		1997	11,403.8	8,233.8	7,470.7	6,683.3	787.3	763.1	3,170.0	9.3	72.2	65.5
		1998	11,549.0	8,324.3	7,612.8	6,811.2	801.6	711.5	3,224.6	8.5	72.1	65.9
		1999	11,682.8	8,457.6	7,797.2	6,992.1	805.1	660.4	3,225.3	7.8	72.4	66.7
		2000	11,842.6	8,569.2	7,973.9	7,150.8	823.1	595.3	3,273.4	6.9	72.4	67.3
		2001	12,024.4	8,690.9	8,035.8	7,195.3	840.5	655.1	3,333.5	7.5	72.3	66.8
		2002	12,201.0	8,906.2	8,184.4	7,287.9	896.5	721.7	3,294.8	8.1	73.0	67.1
		2003	12,351.7	9,067.7	8,348.1	7,423.0	925.0	719.6	3,284.0	7.9	73.4	67.6
		2004	12,515.2	9,166.0	8,480.6	7,559.3	921.3	685.4	3,349.2	7.5	73.2	67.8
		2005	12,692.6	9,243.7	8,594.7	7,664.0	930.7	649.0	3,448.9	7.0	72.8	67.7
	Women	1996	11,707.1	6,724.4	6,099.0	4,330.0	1,769.1	625.4	4,982.7	9.3	57.4	52.1
		1997	11,851.7	6,845.3	6,235.4	4,406.0	1,829.4	610.0	5,006.4	8.9	57.8	52.6
		1998	11,973.8	6,992.0	6,433.4	4,592.2	1,841.2	558.6	4,981.8	8.0	58.4	53.7
		1999	12,104.1	7,130.7	6,609.6	4,767.4	1,842.2	521.2	4,973.3	7.3	58.9	54.6
		2000	12,251.6	7,277.8	6,790.4	4,942.8	1,847.5	487.5	4,973.8	6.7	59.4	55.4
		2001	12,419.9	7,418.9	6,910.3	5,047.1	1,863.2	508.5	5,001.0	6.9	59.7	55.6
		2002	12,596.3	7,673.1	7,126.0	5,151.4	1,974.6	547.2	4,923.1	7.1	60.9	56.6
		2003	12,754.8	7,890.9	7,324.2	5,282.3	2,041.9	566.6	4,863.9	7.2	61.9	57.4
		2004	12,928.1	8,016.3	7,466.4	5,438.8	2,027.6	549.9	4,911.9	6.9	62.0	57.8
		2005	13,112.9	8,098.8	7,575.0	5,542.3	2,032.8	523.8	5,014.0	6.5	61.8	57.8

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TABLE 2 - Labour Force Characteristics, by Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Year	Population	Labour Force	Employment	Full-time Employment	Part-time Employment	Unemployment	Not in Labour Force	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate	Employment Rate
Nova Scotia	Both sexes	1996	724.7	430.1	376.9	300.9	76.0	53.2	294.6	12.4	59.3	52.0
		1997	728.3	435.1	382.0	302.5	79.5	53.1	293.2	12.2	59.7	52.5
		1998	730.8	441.8	395.3	317.5	77.8	46.6	289.0	10.5	60.5	54.1
		1999	735.0	446.8	404.0	326.7	77.2	42.9	288.2	9.6	60.8	55.0
		2000	739.2	452.8	411.4	335.2	76.2	41.4	286.5	9.1	61.3	55.7
		2001	742.6	460.0	415.2	341.2	74.0	44.8	282.6	9.7	61.9	55.9
		2002	747.5	467.7	422.9	342.9	80.0	44.8	279.8	9.6	62.6	56.6
		2003	752.7	474.6	431.2	348.7	82.4	43.4	278.1	9.1	63.1	57.3
		2004	757.1	485.0	442.2	358.7	83.5	42.8	272.1	8.8	64.1	58.4
		2005	760.7	483.9	443.1	360.1	82.9	40.8	276.8	8.4	63.6	58.2
	Men	1996	348.3	233.0	202.1	177.4	24.7	30.9	115.2	13.3	66.9	58.0
		1997	350.1	233.9	202.5	179.3	23.2	31.5	116.1	13.5	66.8	57.8
		1998	351.2	237.5	210.0	186.2	23.8	27.5	113.6	11.6	67.6	59.8
		1999	353.2	238.0	213.4	189.9	23.5	24.6	115.2	10.3	67.4	60.4
		2000	355.9	239.6	215.9	193.2	22.7	23.6	116.3	9.8	67.3	60.7
		2001	357.8	241.9	216.9	195.1	21.7	25.0	116.0	10.3	67.6	60.6
		2002	360.5	244.7	218.6	195.2	23.4	26.0	115.8	10.6	67.9	60.6
		2003	363.4	249.0	223.6	198.1	25.5	25.4	114.3	10.2	68.5	61.5
		2004	365.5	254.4	230.0	203.6	26.4	24.5	111.1	9.6	69.6	62.9
		2005	366.9	251.8	228.6	203.1	25.5	23.2	115.1	9.2	68.6	62.3
	Women	1996	376.4	197.1	174.8	123.5	51.3	22.3	179.3	11.3	52.4	46.4
		1997	378.3	201.2	179.5	123.2	56.3	21.7	177.1	10.8	53.2	47.4
		1998	379.7	204.3	185.3	131.3	54.0	19.0	175.4	9.3	53.8	48.8
		1999	381.8	208.8	190.5	136.8	53.7	18.3	173.0	8.8	54.7	49.9
		2000	383.4	213.2	195.4	142.0	53.4	17.8	170.2	8.3	55.6	51.0
		2001	384.8	218.1	198.4	146.1	52.3	19.8	166.6	9.1	56.7	51.6
		2002	387.0	223.0	204.2	147.6	56.6	18.8	164.0	8.4	57.6	52.8
		2003	389.3	225.5	207.5	150.6	56.9	18.0	163.8	8.0	57.9	53.3
		2004	391.6	230.6	212.2	155.1	57.1	18.3	161.0	7.9	58.9	54.2
		2005	393.8	232.1	214.5	157.0	57.4	17.6	161.7	7.6	58.9	54.5

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TABLE 3 - Labour Force Characteristics, Nova Scotia and Regions(1) of Nova Scotia, 1996-2005

	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	Population	724.7	728.3	730.8	735.0	739.2	742.6	747.5	752.7	757.1	760.7
	Labour force	430.1	435.1	441.8	446.8	452.8	460.0	467.7	474.6	485.0	483.9
	Employment	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	Full-time employment	300.9	302.5	317.5	326.7	335.2	341.2	342.9	348.7	358.7	360.1
	Part-time employment	76.0	79.5	77.8	77.2	76.2	74.0	80.0	82.4	83.5	82.9
	Unemployment	53.2	53.1	46.6	42.9	41.4	44.8	44.8	43.4	42.8	40.8
	Not in labour force	294.6	293.2	289.0	288.2	286.5	282.6	279.8	278.1	272.1	276.8
	Unemployment rate	12.4	12.2	10.5	9.6	9.1	9.7	9.6	9.1	8.8	8.4
	Participation rate	59.3	59.7	60.5	60.8	61.3	61.9	62.6	63.1	64.1	63.6
	Employment rate	52.0	52.5	54.1	55.0	55.7	55.9	56.6	57.3	58.4	58.2
Regions:											
210 - Cape Breton	Population	125.3	124.3	122.8	121.9	120.8	119.5	118.8	118.5	118.0	117.5
	Labour force	64.1	64.1	64.4	61.8	61.4	63.4	61.6	61.3	61.6	64.8
	Employment	49.3	51.4	52.8	51.0	50.6	52.5	52.3	51.5	52.0	55.4
	Full-time employment	39.8	40.4	41.9	39.7	40.6	41.9	41.5	41.0	42.3	44.9
	Part-time employment	9.5	11.1	11.0	11.3	10.0	10.6	10.8	10.5	9.7	10.5
	Unemployment	14.8	12.7	11.6	10.9	10.8	10.9	9.3	9.7	9.6	9.3
	Not in labour force	61.2	60.1	58.4	60.0	59.4	56.1	57.2	57.2	56.4	52.7
	Unemployment rate	23.1	19.8	18.0	17.6	17.6	17.2	15.1	15.8	15.6	14.4
	Participation rate	51.2	51.6	52.4	50.7	50.8	53.1	51.9	51.7	52.2	55.1
	Employment rate	39.3	41.4	43.0	41.8	41.9	43.9	44.0	43.5	44.1	47.1
220 - North Shore	Population	130.5	130.6	130.3	130.5	130.6	130.3	130.4	130.7	131.0	131.2
	Labour force	74.5	73.6	75.0	74.7	76.9	76.2	76.8	79.9	80.6	80.9
	Employment	64.3	63.6	66.3	66.9	69.2	67.6	68.5	72.1	72.5	73.9
	Full-time employment	52.6	50.0	53.9	54.3	57.0	55.7	55.3	59.1	59.4	61.7
	Part-time employment	11.8	13.6	12.4	12.5	12.2	11.8	13.2	13.0	13.2	12.1
	Unemployment	10.2	10.0	8.6	7.8	7.7	8.6	8.3	7.8	8.1	7.0
	Not in labour force	56.0	56.9	55.4	55.7	53.7	54.1	53.6	50.9	50.4	50.3
	Unemployment rate	13.7	13.6	11.5	10.4	10.0	11.3	10.8	9.8	10.0	8.7
	Participation rate	57.1	56.4	57.6	57.2	58.9	58.5	58.9	61.1	61.5	61.7
	Employment rate	49.3	48.7	50.9	51.3	53.0	51.9	52.5	55.2	55.3	56.3

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TABLE 3 - Labour Force Characteristics, Nova Scotia and Regions(1) of Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

	Characteristics	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
	Population	94.5	95.3	95.9	96.5	96.7	97.1	97.7	98.3	98.9	99.3
	Labour force	54.3	54.5	54.5	56.4	56.0	58.8	61.1	60.6	63.7	61.9
	Employment	47.6	47.9	48.8	51.7	51.3	54.2	56.3	55.5	58.2	56.8
	Full-time employment	37.2	37.1	39.4	42.4	42.1	44.4	45.0	45.2	46.5	45.6
	Part-time employment	10.4	10.9	9.5	9.3	9.2	9.8	11.3	10.3	11.7	11.1
	Unemployment	6.7	6.6	5.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.9	5.1	5.5	5.2
	Not in labour force	40.2	40.8	41.4	40.1	40.7	38.3	36.6	37.8	35.2	37.4
	Unemployment rate	12.3	12.1	10.3	8.3	8.4	7.8	8.0	8.4	8.6	8.4
	Participation rate	57.5	57.2	56.8	58.4	57.9	60.6	62.5	61.6	64.4	62.3
	Employment rate	50.4	50.3	50.9	53.6	53.1	55.8	57.6	56.5	58.8	57.2
240 - Southern	Population	103.0	102.8	102.6	102.7	102.9	102.9	103.0	103.3	103.6	103.8
	Labour force	54.6	56.9	57.7	60.0	57.7	57.9	62.0	63.5	63.8	61.4
	Employment	48.0	50.0	50.8	53.8	52.0	51.6	55.3	56.6	57.2	54.6
	Full-time employment	37.7	39.6	40.3	43.3	42.8	42.0	44.9	46.0	46.6	43.8
	Part-time employment	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.5	9.2	9.6	10.4	10.6	10.6	10.8
	Unemployment	6.6	6.9	6.9	6.2	5.7	6.3	6.7	6.8	6.5	6.9
	Not in labour force	48.4	45.8	44.9	42.7	45.3	45.0	41.0	39.8	39.8	42.3
	Unemployment rate	12.1	12.1	12.0	10.3	9.9	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.2	11.2
	Participation rate	53.0	55.4	56.2	58.4	56.1	56.3	60.2	61.5	61.6	59.2
	Employment rate	46.6	48.6	49.5	52.4	50.5	50.1	53.7	54.8	55.2	52.6
250 - Halifax	Population	271.4	275.4	279.2	283.4	288.2	292.8	297.7	301.8	305.6	308.9
	Labour force	182.6	185.9	190.3	193.8	200.9	203.7	206.2	209.3	215.3	214.9
	Employment	167.7	169.0	176.5	180.6	188.3	189.4	190.5	195.4	202.3	202.5
	Full-time employment	133.6	135.6	142.1	147.0	152.7	157.2	156.2	157.3	163.9	164.1
	Part-time employment	34.1	33.5	34.4	33.6	35.6	32.2	34.3	38.1	38.3	38.4
	Unemployment	14.9	16.9	13.8	13.2	12.6	14.4	15.7	13.9	13.0	12.4
	Not in labour force	88.8	89.5	88.9	89.6	87.3	89.1	91.5	92.5	90.3	94.0
	Unemployment rate	8.2	9.1	7.3	6.8	6.3	7.1	7.6	6.6	6.0	5.8
	Participation rate	67.3	67.5	68.2	68.4	69.7	69.6	69.3	69.4	70.5	69.6
	Employment rate	61.8	61.4	63.2	63.7	65.3	64.7	64.0	64.7	66.2	65.6

(1) The geographic boundary changes from 1996 Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) to the 2001 SGC have affected Census Metropolitan areas. As a result, the Halifax CMA boundary is now aligned with the 2001 Census boundary. Thus Halifax CMA and Halifax Region are now one in the same.

Note: Data is available from 1987-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Tables 282-0053 and 282-0055

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TABLE 4 - Employment, Full-Time and Part-Time, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Geography	Sex	Year	Employment			% of Total Employment	
			Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time
Canada	Both sexes	1996	13,421.4	10,861.4	2,560.0	80.9	19.1
		1997	13,706.0	11,089.3	2,616.7	80.9	19.1
		1998	14,046.2	11,403.4	2,642.8	81.2	18.8
		1999	14,406.7	11,759.5	2,647.3	81.6	18.4
		2000	14,764.2	12,093.6	2,670.6	81.9	18.1
		2001	14,946.2	12,242.5	2,703.7	81.9	18.1
		2002	15,310.4	12,439.3	2,871.1	81.2	18.8
		2003	15,672.3	12,705.3	2,967.0	81.1	18.9
		2004	15,947.0	12,998.1	2,948.9	81.5	18.5
		2005	16,169.7	13,206.2	2,963.5	81.7	18.3
	Men	1996	7,322.4	6,531.4	791.0	89.2	10.8
		1997	7,470.7	6,683.3	787.3	89.5	10.5
		1998	7,612.8	6,811.2	801.6	89.5	10.5
		1999	7,797.2	6,992.1	805.1	89.7	10.3
		2000	7,973.9	7,150.8	823.1	89.7	10.3
		2001	8,035.8	7,195.3	840.5	89.5	10.5
		2002	8,184.4	7,287.9	896.5	89.0	11.0
		2003	8,348.1	7,423.0	925.0	88.9	11.1
		2004	8,480.6	7,559.3	921.3	89.1	10.9
		2005	8,594.7	7,664.0	930.7	89.2	10.8
	Women	1996	6,099.0	4,330.0	1,769.1	71.0	29.0
		1997	6,235.4	4,406.0	1,829.4	70.7	29.3
		1998	6,433.4	4,592.2	1,841.2	71.4	28.6
		1999	6,609.6	4,767.4	1,842.2	72.1	27.9
		2000	6,790.4	4,942.8	1,847.5	72.8	27.2
		2001	6,910.3	5,047.1	1,863.2	73.0	27.0
		2002	7,126.0	5,151.4	1,974.6	72.3	27.7
		2003	7,324.2	5,282.3	2,041.9	72.1	27.9
		2004	7,466.4	5,438.8	2,027.6	72.8	27.2
		2005	7,575.0	5,542.3	2,032.8	73.2	26.8

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TABLE 4 - Employment ('000s), Full-Time and Part-Time, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

			Employment			% of Total Employment	
Geography	Sex	Year	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time
Nova Scotia	Both sexes	1996	376.9	300.9	76.0	79.8	20.2
		1997	382.0	302.5	79.5	79.2	20.8
		1998	395.3	317.5	77.8	80.3	19.7
		1999	404.0	326.7	77.2	80.9	19.1
		2000	411.4	335.2	76.2	81.5	18.5
		2001	415.2	341.2	74.0	82.2	17.8
		2002	422.9	342.9	80.0	81.1	18.9
		2003	431.2	348.7	82.4	80.9	19.1
		2004	442.2	358.7	83.5	81.1	18.9
		2005	443.1	360.1	82.9	81.3	18.7
	Men	1996	202.1	177.4	24.7	87.8	12.2
		1997	202.5	179.3	23.2	88.5	11.5
		1998	210.0	186.2	23.8	88.7	11.3
		1999	213.4	189.9	23.5	89.0	11.0
		2000	215.9	193.2	22.7	89.5	10.5
		2001	216.9	195.1	21.7	89.9	10.0
		2002	218.6	195.2	23.4	89.3	10.7
		2003	223.6	198.1	25.5	88.6	11.4
		2004	230.0	203.6	26.4	88.5	11.5
		2005	228.6	203.1	25.5	88.8	11.2
	Women	1996	174.8	123.5	51.3	70.7	29.3
		1997	179.5	123.2	56.3	68.6	31.4
		1998	185.3	131.3	54.0	70.9	29.1
		1999	190.5	136.8	53.7	71.8	28.2
		2000	195.4	142.0	53.4	72.7	27.3
		2001	198.4	146.1	52.3	73.6	26.4
		2002	204.2	147.6	56.6	72.3	27.7
		2003	207.5	150.6	56.9	72.6	27.4
		2004	212.2	155.1	57.1	73.1	26.9
		2005	214.5	157.0	57.4	73.2	26.8

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005
Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0002

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TABLE 5 - Employment by Industry, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Sex	Industry	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Both sexes	Total, all industries	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	Goods-producing sector	80.5	82.2	85.7	88.6	89.9	90.2	90.0	92.4	93.7	91.2
	Agriculture	6.9	7.0	6.6	6.8	6.9	7.5	6.7	6.7	5.4	5.8
	Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	14.6	14.5	15.5	14.5	14.5	13.2	13.0	13.7	13.9	15.0
	Forestry and logging with support activities	4.2	3.5	4.0	3.6	4.2	4.1	3.7	4.2	3.7	4.1
	Fishing, hunting and trapping	6.9	6.8	6.7	7.2	6.7	5.7	5.7	6.9	7.7	8.0
	Mining and oil and gas extraction	3.5	4.2	4.8	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.6	2.5	2.5	2.9
	Utilities	2.2	2.2	1.7	1.9	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.4
	Construction	19.7	21.0	20.9	21.5	23.8	24.6	24.0	24.5	28.2	27.7
	Manufacturing	37.1	37.5	41.0	43.9	42.1	42.2	43.5	45.0	43.6	40.3
	Durables	14.2	14.4	16.2	16.7	18.3	18.2	17.0	17.5	18.0	15.9
	Non-durables	22.9	23.1	24.8	27.1	23.8	24.0	26.5	27.5	25.6	24.3
	Services-producing sector	296.4	299.8	309.6	315.4	321.5	325.0	332.9	338.8	348.5	351.9
	Trade	66.5	67.2	68.7	69.7	73.0	75.5	78.2	74.3	74.7	77.8
	Wholesale trade	10.8	10.7	12.1	14.1	15.8	13.7	13.3	14.3	14.4	15.7
	Retail trade	55.7	56.5	56.5	55.6	57.2	61.8	64.9	60.0	60.4	62.1
	Transportation and warehousing	17.0	16.4	18.8	20.8	20.5	20.5	20.3	20.4	21.4	21.0
	Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	22.1	21.7	23.6	23.0	21.5	20.4	21.5	21.9	22.2	21.8
	Finance and insurance	16.4	15.9	16.3	15.6	14.7	14.9	15.2	13.9	13.6	13.5
	Real estate and leasing	5.7	5.8	7.4	7.4	6.9	5.4	6.3	8.0	8.7	8.4
	Professional, scientific and technical services	14.5	15.1	17.2	17.7	16.3	17.7	17.4	18.3	20.3	20.2
	Business, building and other support services	11.1	12.5	12.2	14.3	16.5	17.5	21.5	22.0	24.9	24.2
	Educational services	24.8	27.8	28.9	30.7	32.2	33.0	32.9	34.0	36.0	35.3
	Health care and social assistance	45.0	46.4	48.0	47.1	50.5	49.3	49.5	53.3	53.6	56.0
	Information, culture and recreation	17.2	16.5	15.4	15.5	16.4	17.8	17.5	16.6	16.6	15.8
	Accommodation and food services	25.8	25.6	26.6	28.2	26.1	27.5	30.0	29.2	31.1	31.6
	Other services	20.8	20.1	20.7	23.0	22.5	19.2	19.7	21.8	20.4	20.8
	Public administration	31.5	30.4	29.5	25.5	26.0	26.6	24.5	27.1	27.2	27.4

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TABLE 5 - Employment by Industry, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Sex	Industry	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Men	Total, all industries	202.1	202.5	210.0	213.4	215.9	216.9	218.6	223.6	230.0	228.6
	Goods-producing sector	64.8	68.0	69.4	71.7	73.6	74.7	72.4	75.1	75.9	75.0
	Agriculture	4.7	5.1	4.5	4.5	4.7	5.4	4.7	4.4	3.8	4.2
	Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	13.2	13.7	14.4	13.5	13.6	12.0	11.2	12.5	12.4	13.6
	Forestry and logging with support activities	4.0	3.2	3.7	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.9	3.2	3.6
	Fishing, hunting and trapping	6.0	6.4	6.1	6.7	6.2	5.2	5.2	6.2	6.7	7.4
	Mining and oil and gas extraction	3.2	4.0	4.6	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.5
	Utilities	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.1
	Construction	17.8	19.2	19.3	19.5	21.8	22.5	21.6	22.5	25.9	25.5
	Manufacturing	27.3	28.3	29.8	32.9	31.2	32.5	32.7	33.5	32.0	29.7
	Durables	11.8	12.2	13.7	14.1	15.2	15.0	13.8	14.5	14.7	12.7
	Non-durables	15.5	16.1	16.1	18.8	16.0	17.5	18.9	18.9	17.2	17.0
	Services-producing sector	137.3	134.4	140.6	141.8	142.3	142.2	146.3	148.6	154.1	153.6
	Trade	35.4	33.9	35.5	35.1	35.7	38.6	40.0	38.2	37.8	38.0
	Wholesale trade	7.7	7.9	9.1	10.2	11.5	11.0	9.7	10.6	11.0	11.1
	Retail trade	27.6	26.1	26.4	24.9	24.2	27.6	30.3	27.6	26.8	27.0
	Transportation and warehousing	13.6	12.7	14.7	16.5	16.9	16.1	16.1	16.2	17.3	16.7
	Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	8.8	8.1	9.9	8.9	8.3	7.2	7.7	8.2	8.7	8.1
	Finance and insurance	5.4	4.5	6.0	4.9	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	4.6	3.9
	Real estate and leasing	3.3	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.5	2.7	3.4	4.3	4.1	4.2
	Professional, scientific and technical services	8.0	8.3	10.2	9.8	9.1	9.8	10.7	9.9	11.7	11.3
	Business, building and other support services	6.3	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.6	9.2	10.4	10.5	12.1	11.4
	Educational services	10.6	10.9	11.0	12.3	11.4	12.2	11.7	12.2	13.1	13.3
	Health care and social assistance	8.1	8.1	7.8	7.6	8.7	7.7	7.6	9.4	8.7	9.2
	Information, culture and recreation	9.8	8.6	8.0	8.4	8.9	9.5	8.9	8.5	8.8	8.1
	Accommodation and food services	9.2	9.5	10.1	10.6	9.8	8.4	11.0	10.9	10.2	11.7
	Other services	8.7	7.8	8.8	9.7	10.1	7.7	8.0	9.0	9.2	8.9
	Public administration	18.9	18.4	16.6	14.8	14.7	15.8	14.2	15.6	16.5	16.9

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TABLE 5 - Employment by Industry, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Sex	Industry	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Women	Total, all industries	174.8	179.5	185.3	190.5	195.4	198.4	204.2	207.5	212.2	214.5
	Goods-producing sector	15.7	14.2	16.3	16.9	16.2	15.6	17.6	17.3	17.8	16.2
	Agriculture	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.3	1.7	1.7
	Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.8	1.2	1.6	1.4
	Forestry and logging with support activities	x	x	x	x	x	0.5	x	x	0.5	0.5
	Fishing, hunting and trapping	0.9	x	0.6	0.5	0.5	x	0.5	0.7	1.0	0.5
	Mining and oil and gas extraction	x	x	x	x	x	x	0.9	x	x	x
	Utilities	x	x	x	0.6	x	x	0.6	x	0.6	x
	Construction	1.9	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.3	2.2
	Manufacturing	9.8	9.2	11.2	11.0	10.8	9.7	10.8	11.5	11.7	10.6
	Durables	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.7	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.9	3.3	3.2
	Non-durables	7.4	7.0	8.6	8.3	7.8	6.5	7.6	8.6	8.4	7.4
	Services-producing sector	159.2	165.4	169.0	173.6	179.2	182.8	186.6	190.2	194.4	198.2
	Trade	31.1	33.3	33.2	34.6	37.2	36.9	38.2	36.1	36.9	39.8
	Wholesale trade	3.1	2.8	3.0	3.9	4.2	2.7	3.6	3.7	3.3	4.6
	Retail trade	28.1	30.5	30.2	30.7	33.0	34.2	34.6	32.4	33.6	35.1
	Transportation and warehousing	3.5	3.7	4.1	4.2	3.6	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2
	Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	13.3	13.5	13.7	14.1	13.2	13.2	13.9	13.7	13.5	13.7
	Finance and insurance	10.9	11.4	10.3	10.6	9.8	10.4	11.0	10.0	9.0	9.5
	Real estate and leasing	2.4	2.1	3.4	3.5	3.4	2.8	2.9	3.7	4.5	4.2
	Professional, scientific and technical services	6.5	6.8	7.0	7.9	7.2	7.9	6.8	8.5	8.6	8.9
	Business, building and other support services	4.7	4.5	4.2	6.1	7.9	8.3	11.0	11.5	12.9	12.7
	Educational services	14.3	17.0	17.9	18.4	20.8	20.8	21.2	21.8	22.9	22.0
	Health care and social assistance	36.9	38.3	40.2	39.5	41.8	41.6	41.8	43.8	44.9	46.8
	Information, culture and recreation	7.4	7.9	7.4	7.1	7.5	8.3	8.6	8.1	7.8	7.7
	Accommodation and food services	16.7	16.1	16.4	17.6	16.3	19.1	19.0	18.3	20.9	19.9
	Other services	12.2	12.3	11.9	13.2	12.3	11.5	11.7	12.7	11.2	11.9
	Public administration	12.5	12.0	13.0	10.7	11.3	10.8	10.3	11.4	10.7	10.6

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005
Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0008

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TABLE 6 - Employment by Occupation, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005
(persons in '000s)

Occupation	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Both sexes										
Total, all occupations	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
Management occupations	35.7	35.3	36.4	34.0	35.7	32.6	35.8	34.7	34.7	35.4
Senior management occupations	1.1	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.3	1.3	1.9	1.8	2.1	1.8
Other management occupations	34.6	33.9	34.7	32.0	34.4	31.4	33.9	33.0	32.6	33.6
Business, finance and administrative occupations	66.0	66.0	68.4	67.4	66.1	68.2	71.4	72.9	77.3	75.1
Professional occupations in business and finance	8.6	8.5	8.1	8.8	7.7	8.7	7.9	7.6	9.5	8.1
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	22.2	24.2	23.9	21.4	20.5	18.3	19.6	21.5	20.5	20.6
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	35.2	33.3	36.4	37.2	38.0	41.2	43.9	43.9	47.3	46.4
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	18.3	16.9	21.1	20.7	20.6	23.5	24.1	25.6	24.8	24.8
Health occupations	21.9	23.9	23.6	26.5	27.4	28.2	27.2	28.4	28.9	33.3
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	10.9	11.4	11.9	13.6	12.6	13.4	12.7	14.1	13.6	14.4
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	11.0	12.4	11.8	12.9	14.7	14.8	14.5	14.3	15.3	19.0
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	28.7	31.2	31.5	32.1	33.9	33.8	32.5	37.7	38.7	37.0
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	15.5	16.6	16.5	15.6	17.5	16.2	14.6	18.3	17.1	17.9
Teachers and professors	13.2	14.7	15.0	16.5	16.4	17.6	17.9	19.4	21.6	19.1
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	9.3	8.6	8.7	10.0	10.9	10.0	11.3	10.3	11.3	11.3
Sales and service occupations	101.2	102.1	103.2	107.5	111.5	116.3	119.2	116.6	117.9	119.9
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and grain buyers	8.7	8.9	9.7	9.2	12.3	12.2	11.7	12.3	11.0	11.8
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	24.4	26.6	27.4	30.2	31.3	32.6	36.2	31.6	34.4	35.5
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	12.4	12.1	12.1	14.4	13.6	15.2	15.7	16.1	16.0	16.4
Occupation in protective services	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.0	6.7	7.1	6.4	7.6	6.3	6.5
Childcare and home support workers	8.6	8.8	8.9	8.7	8.2	7.9	8.3	8.2	7.8	7.4
Sales & service occupations n.e.c., incl. Occup. in travel & accomm., attendants in rec. & sport as well as supers.	40.0	38.7	37.9	38.1	39.5	41.2	40.8	40.8	42.5	42.3
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	56.5	59.9	61.3	62.5	62.2	64.1	62.3	62.4	68.1	65.8
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	5.8	6.4	6.5	5.3	4.7	6.0	5.4	5.5	7.0	6.8
Construction trades	8.2	8.8	9.1	9.9	9.5	10.0	11.0	9.3	10.2	11.8
Other trades occupations	20.5	22.3	21.4	22.1	23.7	22.6	21.4	21.9	22.0	21.0
Transport and equipment operators	14.1	13.9	17.1	17.3	16.8	17.4	16.1	17.5	18.7	16.6
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	8.0	8.5	7.3	8.0	7.5	8.1	8.3	7.9	10.3	9.6
Occupations unique to primary industry	20.7	19.6	19.3	20.4	19.9	18.5	17.1	18.5	17.7	19.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	18.6	18.4	21.8	22.8	23.2	20.0	21.9	24.0	22.7	21.4
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	13.7	13.6	15.0	17.0	18.2	14.8	17.1	20.0	18.1	17.5
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	4.9	4.8	6.8	5.8	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.1	4.6	4.0
Unclassified occupations	15.9	16.7	13.9	11.4	11.9	11.7	9.5	9.6	9.4	8.7

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TABLE 6 - Employment by Occupation, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Occupation	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Men										
Total, all occupations	202.1	202.5	210.0	213.4	215.9	216.9	218.6	223.6	230.0	228.6
Management occupations	20.9	21.7	22.2	21.5	22.7	19.8	22.7	22.5	21.1	22.0
Senior management occupations	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.6	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.5
Other management occupations	20.1	20.8	21.4	20.0	21.7	18.8	21.5	21.0	19.7	20.5
Business, finance and administrative occupations	19.2	19.1	20.2	17.5	17.8	19.7	19.9	19.1	23.3	20.4
Professional occupations in business and finance	4.3	4.2	4.2	3.9	3.9	4.6	4.2	3.4	5.3	4.3
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	3.5	3.9	4.2	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.4	3.5	3.2
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	11.4	11.1	11.8	10.9	11.2	12.1	12.8	12.3	14.6	12.9
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	15.5	13.7	17.1	16.7	16.4	18.9	19.8	20.3	20.0	19.4
Health occupations	4.0	3.6	3.5	4.0	4.7	4.3	3.9	5.2	4.5	5.5
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	2.0	2.1	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.2	3.1	2.4	2.7
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	2.0	1.6	1.7	1.8	2.3	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.8
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	11.0	10.9	10.8	12.4	12.3	11.1	10.7	11.9	13.4	13.5
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	4.9	5.0	4.6	5.6	6.7	4.6	3.9	5.0	5.1	6.2
Teachers and professors	6.1	5.8	6.2	6.9	5.6	6.5	6.8	6.9	8.3	7.4
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	4.9	4.7	4.4	5.1	4.9	3.8	5.9	4.8	5.1	5.3
Sales and service occupations	41.3	40.7	42.0	41.9	43.5	40.8	47.2	46.7	46.7	47.0
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and grain buyers	5.7	5.8	6.6	6.0	8.2	8.4	7.9	8.0	7.1	7.2
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	6.5	6.9	6.8	8.0	8.4	9.8	11.9	9.2	10.4	10.1
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	4.3	4.2	4.0	5.2	4.9	4.9	5.5	5.6	5.1	6.2
Occupation in protective services	6.6	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.4	6.2	5.4	6.5	5.4	5.6
Childcare and home support workers	x	x	x	x	0.6	x	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5
Sales & service occupations n.e.c., incl. Occup. in travel & accomm., attendants in rec. & sport as well as supers.	18.0	17.1	18.0	16.6	16.1	17.1	16.0	16.8	18.3	17.4
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	54.2	57.0	58.0	59.7	59.7	61.7	58.9	60.1	65.3	63.1
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	5.6	6.3	6.2	5.1	4.5	5.7	5.0	5.3	6.9	6.5
Construction trades	7.9	8.6	8.7	9.8	9.3	9.8	10.7	9.5	10.0	11.6
Other trades occupations	19.8	21.2	20.1	21.1	23.0	22.0	20.8	21.4	21.1	20.2
Transport and equipment operators	13.3	13.2	16.3	16.6	15.8	16.6	15.3	16.8	17.9	15.9
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	7.6	7.7	6.7	7.1	7.0	7.6	7.1	7.1	9.3	8.8
Occupations unique to primary industry	18.0	17.7	17.0	17.9	17.8	16.2	14.9	16.2	15.3	17.3
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	13.1	13.3	14.8	16.6	16.1	14.5	14.7	16.8	15.4	15.1
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	10.0	10.2	10.1	13.0	13.0	10.9	11.8	14.3	12.5	12.3
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	3.1	3.2	4.7	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.0	2.5	2.8	2.8
Unclassified occupations	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

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TABLE 6 - Employment by Occupation, by Sex, Nova Scotia, 1996-2005
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Occupation	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia - Women										
Total, all occupations	174.8	179.5	185.3	190.5	195.4	198.4	204.2	207.5	212.2	214.5
Management occupations	14.9	13.5	14.2	12.5	13.0	12.8	13.1	12.2	13.7	13.3
Senior management occupations	x	0.5	0.9	x	x	x	0.7	x	0.7	x
Other management occupations	14.5	13.1	13.3	12.0	12.7	12.5	12.4	11.9	12.9	13.1
Business, finance and administrative occupations	46.8	46.8	48.2	49.8	48.4	48.6	51.5	53.8	54.0	54.7
Professional occupations in business and finance	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.8	3.8	4.1	3.7	4.2	4.2	3.8
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	18.7	20.3	19.7	18.8	17.8	15.4	16.7	18.0	17.0	17.3
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	23.8	22.2	24.6	26.3	26.8	29.1	31.1	31.6	32.8	33.5
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	2.8	3.2	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.6	4.3	5.3	4.8	5.4
Health occupations	18.0	20.2	20.1	22.5	22.6	23.9	23.3	23.1	24.4	27.8
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	8.9	9.3	10.1	11.4	10.3	11.0	10.5	11.0	11.1	11.7
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	9.0	10.9	10.0	11.1	12.4	12.9	12.8	12.2	13.3	16.2
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	17.8	20.4	20.6	19.7	21.5	22.6	21.8	25.9	25.4	23.4
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	10.6	11.5	11.9	10.0	10.7	11.6	10.8	13.4	12.0	11.7
Teachers and professors	7.2	8.8	8.8	9.7	10.8	11.0	11.0	12.5	13.3	11.7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	4.4	4.0	4.4	4.9	5.9	6.2	5.4	5.5	6.2	5.9
Sales and service occupations	59.8	61.5	61.2	65.6	68.0	69.4	72.0	69.9	71.2	72.9
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and grain buyers	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.3	4.1	3.8	3.8	4.4	3.9	4.5
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	17.9	19.7	20.5	22.1	22.9	22.8	24.3	22.4	24.1	25.5
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	8.1	7.8	8.2	9.2	8.7	10.4	10.2	10.4	10.9	10.3
Occupation in protective services	0.5	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.3	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9
Childcare and home support workers	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.4	7.6	7.6	7.8	7.6	7.3	6.9
Sales & service occupations n.e.c., incl. Occup. in travel & accomm., attendants in rec. & sport as well as supers.	22.0	21.6	19.9	21.5	23.4	24.1	24.9	24.0	24.2	24.8
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	2.2	2.9	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.4	2.3	2.9	2.7
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	x	x	x	x	x	x	0.5	x	x	x
Construction trades	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Other trades occupations	0.6	1.1	1.3	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.7
Transport and equipment operators	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	x	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.2	0.8	1.0	0.7
Occupations unique to primary industry	2.7	1.9	2.3	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.5	1.9
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	5.5	5.1	7.0	6.2	7.0	5.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.3
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	3.8	3.4	4.9	4.0	5.2	3.9	5.3	5.7	5.6	5.1
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	1.7	1.7	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.2
Unclassified occupations	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Note: Data is available from 1987-2005
Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0010

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TABLE 7 - Employment, Class of Worker, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Geography	Class of worker	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	Total employment	13,421.4	13,706.0	14,046.2	14,406.7	14,764.2	14,946.2	15,310.4	15,672.3	15,947.0	16,169.7
	Employees	11,249.8	11,356.6	11,640.5	11,973.8	12,390.5	12,669.5	12,995.9	13,270.5	13,493.6	13,658.2
	Public sector employees	2,707.6	2,651.4	2,640.7	2,701.5	2,800.1	2,843.7	2,909.1	2,956.0	3,044.5	3,123.1
	Private sector employees	8,542.2	8,705.2	8,999.8	9,272.3	9,590.3	9,825.7	10,086.8	10,314.5	10,449.1	10,535.0
	Self-employed	2,171.6	2,349.4	2,405.7	2,433.0	2,373.7	2,276.7	2,314.5	2,401.8	2,453.4	2,511.6
	Self-employed incorporated, with paid help	491.9	528.9	508.9	532.9	519.8	495.3	497.2	513.1	559.4	590.4
	Self-employed incorporated, no paid help	190.8	252.5	247.6	276.8	292.0	304.2	323.2	355.3	384.6	400.3
	Self-employed unincorporated, with paid help	320.4	287.7	296.3	292.6	295.8	291.8	283.9	283.1	275.9	273.4
	Self-employed unincorporated, no paid help	1,112.4	1,215.9	1,293.6	1,285.9	1,224.5	1,153.0	1,177.6	1,216.3	1,203.9	1,221.8
	Unpaid family worker	56.1	64.4	59.3	44.8	41.6	32.4	32.5	34.0	29.7	25.6
Nova Scotia	Total employment	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	Employees	320.5	323.1	336.4	345.1	354.3	361.7	361.5	374.4	382.6	382.5
	Public sector employees	96.1	95.2	97.3	92.1	96.5	96.3	92.0	98.2	103.7	105.0
	Private sector employees	224.4	227.9	239.1	253.1	257.8	265.5	269.5	276.2	278.9	277.5
	Self-employed	56.4	58.9	58.8	58.8	57.0	53.5	61.4	56.7	59.6	60.6
	Self-employed incorporated, with paid help	11.1	12.0	11.1	13.1	13.0	11.7	13.8	11.2	13.0	14.8
	Self-employed incorporated, no paid help	2.6	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.7	4.3	6.3	5.2	5.1	5.2
	Self-employed unincorporated, with paid help	10.8	9.8	9.6	9.3	10.2	8.9	9.5	8.4	9.3	8.5
	Self-employed unincorporated, no paid help	30.4	32.0	33.5	32.1	29.6	28.1	31.4	31.6	32.0	31.6
	Unpaid family worker	1.5	1.6	1.3	0.6	0.6	0.5	x	x	x	x

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0012

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	**Both sexes**	15 years and over	9.6	9.1	8.3	7.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.6	7.2	6.8
		15-24 years	15.4	16.2	15.2	14.0	12.7	12.9	13.6	13.6	13.4	12.4
		25 years and over	8.5	7.7	7.0	6.3	5.7	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.0	5.7
		25-44 years	9.2	8.3	7.4	6.8	6.0	6.5	7.0	6.8	6.5	6.0
		45-64 years	7.5	6.9	6.4	5.7	5.3	5.5	5.8	5.9	5.4	5.3
		45 years and over	7.3	6.7	6.2	5.6	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.8	5.3	5.2
		25-54 years	8.7	7.8	7.1	6.4	5.8	6.2	6.6	6.5	6.0	5.8
		55 years and over	7.3	6.9	6.3	5.5	5.1	5.5	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.1
		15-64 years	9.7	9.2	8.4	7.6	6.9	7.3	7.7	7.7	7.3	6.8
		15-19 years	19.4	21.3	19.9	18.3	16.4	16.8	18.0	18.1	18.1	16.5
		20-24 years	12.9	13.1	12.1	11.2	10.1	10.2	10.6	10.6	10.3	9.7
		25-29 years	10.5	9.6	8.6	7.5	6.9	7.4	8.0	7.6	7.8	6.9
		30-34 years	9.4	8.6	7.6	7.0	6.0	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.0	5.9
		35-39 years	9.0	8.2	7.1	6.4	5.8	6.4	6.9	6.8	6.4	6.0
		40-44 years	8.0	7.1	6.6	6.3	5.6	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.0	5.5
		45-49 years	7.3	6.5	6.0	5.5	5.1	5.4	5.7	5.6	5.2	5.4
		50-54 years	7.3	6.7	6.5	5.7	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.8	5.0	5.1
		55-59 years	8.0	7.6	6.9	6.2	5.5	5.8	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.2
		60-64 years	7.5	7.7	6.8	5.5	5.5	5.8	6.1	6.4	5.8	5.7
		65 years and over	3.8	3.1	2.8	2.8	2.6	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.4
		65-69 years	4.4	4.2	3.3	2.8	3.4	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.2	3.9
		70 years and over	2.9	x	2.0	2.7	x	x	1.5	1.7	1.5	2.6

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	**Men**	15 years and over	9.9	9.3	8.5	7.8	6.9	7.5	8.1	7.9	7.5	7.0
		15-24 years	16.9	17.1	16.6	15.3	13.8	14.5	15.3	15.3	14.9	14.2
		25 years and over	8.6	7.8	7.1	6.4	5.6	6.2	6.7	6.5	6.1	5.7
		25-44 years	9.4	8.5	7.5	6.9	6.0	6.7	7.2	6.9	6.6	6.1
		45-64 years	7.5	6.9	6.5	5.9	5.2	5.6	6.1	6.2	5.5	5.3
		45 years and over	7.2	6.7	6.3	5.7	5.1	5.5	6.0	6.0	5.4	5.2
		25-54 years	8.8	8.0	7.2	6.5	5.7	6.3	6.8	6.6	6.1	5.8
		55 years and over	7.3	6.9	6.3	5.8	5.0	5.5	6.0	6.3	5.6	5.1
		15-64 years	10.0	9.4	8.7	7.9	7.0	7.6	8.2	8.0	7.6	7.1
		15-19 years	21.0	22.4	21.5	19.6	17.6	18.6	20.5	19.8	19.4	18.0
		20-24 years	14.3	13.9	13.5	12.4	11.3	11.8	11.9	12.3	12.1	11.8
		25-29 years	11.2	10.5	9.2	7.7	7.0	8.2	9.0	8.2	8.7	7.2
		30-34 years	9.5	8.7	7.5	7.3	6.0	6.4	7.5	6.8	5.9	6.0
		35-39 years	9.0	8.1	7.1	6.1	5.7	6.3	7.0	6.8	6.3	5.9
		40-44 years	8.1	7.1	6.7	6.5	5.5	6.3	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.5
		45-49 years	7.2	6.6	6.0	5.5	5.1	5.4	6.0	5.8	5.3	5.2
		50-54 years	7.2	6.5	6.7	5.8	5.1	5.5	5.9	5.9	5.0	5.4
		55-59 years	8.2	7.5	6.8	6.7	5.5	5.9	6.6	6.7	6.3	5.2
		60-64 years	7.5	7.9	7.3	5.8	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.1	5.9	5.8
		65 years and over	3.6	3.0	2.7	3.1	2.6	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.1	3.2
		65-69 years	4.5	4.3	3.1	2.7	3.4	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.2	3.3
		70 years and over	x	x	x	3.3	x	x	x	1.9	x	3.0

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	**Women**	15 years and over	9.3	8.9	8.0	7.3	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.2	6.9	6.5
		15-24 years	13.8	15.3	13.6	12.7	11.4	11.1	11.7	11.8	11.7	10.6
		25 years and over	8.4	7.6	6.9	6.2	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.6
		25-44 years	8.9	8.1	7.3	6.7	6.0	6.3	6.7	6.8	6.4	6.0
		45-64 years	7.5	6.8	6.2	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.2
		45 years and over	7.4	6.7	6.1	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.2
		25-54 years	8.5	7.7	6.9	6.3	5.8	6.0	6.2	6.3	5.9	5.7
		55 years and over	7.2	7.1	6.3	5.0	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.2
		15-64 years	9.3	9.0	8.0	7.4	6.7	6.9	7.2	7.2	6.9	6.5
		15-19 years	17.7	20.2	18.1	16.9	15.3	14.9	15.4	16.2	16.7	15.1
		20-24 years	11.3	12.1	10.6	9.9	8.7	8.5	9.1	8.8	8.3	7.5
		25-29 years	9.6	8.5	7.8	7.2	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.6	6.5
		30-34 years	9.3	8.5	7.8	6.7	6.0	6.1	6.6	6.9	6.1	5.7
		35-39 years	8.9	8.4	7.1	6.8	5.8	6.6	6.9	6.7	6.4	6.2
		40-44 years	7.8	7.1	6.5	6.1	5.6	6.0	6.4	6.7	6.3	5.5
		45-49 years	7.5	6.3	5.9	5.6	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.0	5.5
		50-54 years	7.4	6.9	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.6	5.0	4.8
		55-59 years	7.7	7.8	7.0	5.5	5.6	5.7	6.0	5.6	5.7	5.2
		60-64 years	7.4	7.2	6.1	5.0	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.6
		65 years and over	4.3	3.3	2.9	x	2.9	4.2	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.8
		65-69 years	4.2	4.0	3.7	x	3.6	5.7	3.9	4.2	4.3	4.8
		70 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	**Both sexes**	15 years and over	12.4	12.2	10.5	9.6	9.1	9.7	9.6	9.1	8.8	8.4
		15-24 years	17.9	20.8	19.3	18.0	15.8	17.7	17.8	15.9	15.1	15.0
		25 years and over	11.2	10.5	8.8	7.9	7.8	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.1
		25-44 years	11.9	11.4	9.4	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.5	8.0	8.1	7.7
		45-64 years	10.1	8.9	7.8	6.5	6.8	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.0	6.3
		45 years and over	9.9	8.6	7.7	6.5	6.8	7.2	7.2	7.4	6.8	6.4
		25-54 years	11.3	10.6	8.8	8.0	7.9	8.3	8.0	7.6	7.6	7.1
		55 years and over	10.4	9.3	8.8	7.2	7.0	6.9	7.5	8.3	7.3	6.8
		15-64 years	12.4	12.3	10.6	9.7	9.2	9.8	9.7	9.2	8.9	8.5
		15-19 years	19.6	24.3	20.9	20.9	21.1	20.8	21.0	18.2	19.6	19.6
		20-24 years	16.9	18.8	18.1	16.2	12.4	15.7	15.6	14.3	11.9	11.9
		25-29 years	14.3	14.1	10.0	10.2	9.1	9.4	9.3	10.0	11.2	9.4
		30-34 years	11.6	11.8	10.2	8.3	7.7	9.8	8.9	7.0	7.7	8.0
		35-39 years	10.6	11.2	9.4	8.1	9.2	8.6	8.3	8.8	6.8	7.3
		40-44 years	11.3	8.9	8.3	8.5	8.0	7.4	7.3	6.8	7.4	6.5
		45-49 years	10.0	8.9	7.2	6.7	7.0	6.8	6.7	7.0	6.6	6.6
		50-54 years	9.3	7.7	7.5	5.7	6.3	7.9	7.4	7.1	6.3	5.6
		55-59 years	11.6	10.5	10.9	7.8	6.9	6.6	8.7	8.7	8.1	6.5
		60-64 years	9.7	10.3	6.6	7.1	7.9	9.5	6.6	9.0	6.9	7.5
		65 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	6.9
		65-69 years	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		70 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	**Men**	15 years and over	13.3	13.5	11.6	10.3	9.8	10.3	10.6	10.2	9.6	9.2
		15-24 years	20.8	23.4	23.2	20.2	17.8	19.3	21.3	18.9	17.6	16.9
		25 years and over	11.8	11.5	9.3	8.4	8.3	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.0	7.7
		25-44 years	12.5	12.8	9.9	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.6	9.0	8.5	8.6
		45-64 years	10.8	9.6	8.6	7.4	7.2	7.7	7.3	7.8	7.6	6.7
		45 years and over	10.5	9.2	8.5	7.3	7.1	7.4	7.3	7.7	7.4	6.8
		25-54 years	12.0	11.6	9.3	8.4	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.3	8.1	7.9
		55 years and over	9.8	10.3	9.3	8.6	7.7	6.7	6.8	9.1	7.5	7.1
		15-64 years	13.4	13.6	11.7	10.4	9.9	10.4	10.7	10.3	9.7	9.2
		15-19 years	21.3	27.1	24.8	24.2	23.4	23.1	25.0	21.1	21.0	19.9
		20-24 years	20.5	21.4	22.2	17.6	14.5	16.9	18.8	17.5	15.3	14.9
		25-29 years	14.6	16.8	11.5	10.3	10.2	11.3	11.2	12.3	12.9	10.8
		30-34 years	12.5	14.5	9.9	8.6	8.7	10.2	10.0	6.3	7.9	8.4
		35-39 years	10.2	12.1	10.2	9.0	9.0	8.6	9.6	10.2	6.8	8.6
		40-44 years	13.1	8.8	8.5	9.0	8.7	7.8	8.0	7.8	7.2	6.8
		45-49 years	11.1	9.7	7.7	7.2	7.5	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.7	6.6
		50-54 years	10.4	7.2	8.7	6.1	6.2	8.5	7.8	6.3	6.9	6.7
		55-59 years	10.9	12.1	11.7	9.7	7.2	6.3	7.4	9.6	8.1	6.2
		60-64 years	8.5	11.4	x	8.0	9.7	10.8	6.6	10.9	7.5	8.4
		65 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		65-69 years	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		70 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

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TABLE 8 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Age Group and Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Sex	Age group	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	**Women**	15 years and over	11.3	10.8	9.3	8.8	8.3	9.1	8.4	8.0	7.9	7.6
		15-24 years	14.4	17.9	14.8	15.8	13.7	16.1	14.3	12.5	12.2	13.1
		25 years and over	10.6	9.2	8.1	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.2	7.0	7.0	6.4
		25-44 years	11.2	9.9	8.8	8.3	7.8	8.0	7.3	6.9	7.8	6.8
		45-64 years	9.1	8.1	6.9	5.5	6.3	7.0	7.2	7.2	6.2	5.9
		45 years and over	9.1	7.9	6.8	5.4	6.2	6.9	7.0	7.1	6.0	5.9
		25-54 years	10.5	9.4	8.1	7.5	7.3	7.7	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.4
		55 years and over	11.4	7.5	8.0	5.0	6.0	6.5	8.4	6.5	7.1	6.4
		15-64 years	11.3	10.8	9.4	8.8	8.4	9.1	8.5	8.0	8.0	7.6
		15-19 years	17.1	22.4	16.9	17.6	19.0	18.6	17.2	15.3	17.7	19.4
		20-24 years	13.0	15.7	13.5	14.6	10.0	14.3	12.2	10.5	8.4	8.7
		25-29 years	13.7	11.2	8.2	10.0	7.6	7.4	7.7	7.5	9.1	7.5
		30-34 years	11.0	9.2	10.6	8.0	6.7	9.4	7.7	7.5	7.9	7.5
		35-39 years	10.8	10.5	8.5	7.3	9.5	8.3	7.0	7.2	6.8	6.0
		40-44 years	9.4	9.2	8.0	7.9	7.0	6.9	6.6	5.7	7.6	6.3
		45-49 years	9.2	7.4	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.8	6.4	6.8	5.4	6.3
		50-54 years	7.0	8.9	6.0	4.8	6.5	7.3	7.0	8.1	5.7	4.8
		55-59 years	12.7	8.4	8.9	5.5	6.5	7.1	10.3	7.5	7.7	6.7
		60-64 years	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		65 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		65-69 years	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
		70 years and over	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0002

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TABLE 9 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Education Level, by Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005

Geography	Sex	Education level	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	Both sexes	Total, all education levels	9.6	9.1	8.3	7.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.6	7.2	6.8
		0 - 8 years	14.9	15.1	14.0	12.9	12.7	13.5	13.6	14.0	12.4	12.9
		Some high school	15.6	15.8	14.7	13.6	12.5	12.9	14.0	13.7	13.5	12.5
		High school graduate	9.6	8.7	8.2	7.4	6.6	6.9	7.4	7.3	7.0	6.7
		Some post-secondary	10.2	10.2	9.4	8.5	7.8	8.0	8.8	8.6	8.3	8.2
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	8.1	7.4	6.5	5.9	5.2	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.3
		University degree	5.2	4.8	4.3	4.2	3.9	4.6	5.0	5.4	4.9	4.6
		Bachelor's degree	5.5	5.2	4.6	4.5	4.1	4.8	5.4	5.6	5.3	4.8
		Above bachelor's degree	4.4	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.4	4.0	4.2	4.9	4.0	4.3
	Men	Total, all education levels	9.9	9.3	8.5	7.8	6.9	7.5	8.1	7.9	7.5	7.0
		0 - 8 years	15.5	15.3	13.5	12.7	11.9	12.8	13.2	13.6	12.1	11.8
		Some high school	15.7	15.8	14.8	13.6	12.3	13.1	14.4	13.9	13.4	12.2
		High school graduate	9.9	8.8	8.4	7.8	6.6	7.2	7.8	7.8	7.5	7.0
		Some post-secondary	10.4	10.4	9.7	8.5	8.1	8.1	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.9
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	8.2	7.4	6.7	6.0	5.4	6.1	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.5
		University degree	4.8	4.5	4.2	4.2	3.8	4.6	5.1	5.6	4.8	4.7
		Bachelor's degree	5.1	5.2	4.5	4.7	4.1	4.9	5.7	6.0	5.3	5.0
		Above bachelor's degree	4.2	3.4	3.8	3.4	3.3	4.0	4.1	4.7	4.0	4.2
	Women	Total, all education levels	9.3	8.9	8.0	7.3	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.2	6.9	6.5
		0 - 8 years	13.9	14.7	14.8	13.1	14.2	14.9	14.3	14.7	12.9	14.7
		Some high school	15.3	15.9	14.4	13.6	12.8	12.7	13.3	13.5	13.7	12.9
		High school graduate	9.3	8.6	8.0	7.1	6.7	6.5	7.0	6.8	6.5	6.3
		Some post-secondary	9.9	10.0	9.1	8.6	7.6	8.0	8.6	8.3	8.0	7.5
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	8.0	7.4	6.3	5.8	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.2
		University degree	5.6	5.0	4.4	4.3	3.9	4.6	4.9	5.3	4.9	4.5
		Bachelor's degree	6.0	5.2	4.7	4.4	4.0	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.3	4.6
		Above bachelor's degree	4.7	4.6	3.8	4.1	3.7	4.1	4.4	5.2	4.1	4.4

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TABLE 9 - Unemployment Rate (%), by Education Level, by Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005

Geography	Sex	Education level	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	Both sexes	Total, all education levels	12.4	12.2	10.5	9.6	9.1	9.7	9.6	9.1	8.8	8.4
		0 - 8 years	18.8	21.5	18.5	13.8	14.8	16.0	17.2	18.0	15.0	16.2
		Some high school	17.7	19.9	17.7	16.5	16.9	16.0	16.1	15.5	15.5	15.6
		High school graduate	12.1	12.0	9.8	9.1	8.4	9.9	9.2	10.2	8.9	9.3
		Some post-secondary	14.7	14.0	10.8	10.9	8.5	10.2	10.7	9.2	10.1	9.3
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	11.2	10.4	9.2	8.5	8.2	8.9	8.7	7.6	7.6	6.9
		University degree	6.1	4.9	4.6	4.2	4.1	4.8	4.8	5.1	4.7	4.1
		Bachelor's degree	6.5	5.3	5.0	5.3	4.7	5.0	4.9	5.8	4.9	4.3
		Above bachelor's degree	5.2	3.5	4.3	2.0	3.2	4.3	4.7	3.4	4.4	3.5
	Men	Total, all education levels	13.3	13.5	11.6	10.3	9.8	10.3	10.6	10.2	9.6	9.2
		0 - 8 years	20.7	22.4	18.7	13.8	14.3	13.5	17.8	15.5	15.9	15.8
		Some high school	17.9	20.1	18.5	17.1	17.2	16.1	17.8	16.6	15.6	15.1
		High school graduate	13.5	12.7	10.6	9.1	8.1	9.4	9.6	10.7	9.4	10.9
		Some post-secondary	14.6	14.4	12.1	11.6	8.3	11.5	11.3	9.7	11.3	9.9
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	12.5	12.5	10.0	9.4	9.6	10.1	9.7	8.9	8.5	7.6
		University degree	5.2	3.9	4.9	4.2	3.9	4.6	5.2	5.3	4.7	4.4
		Bachelor's degree	6.0	4.4	5.1	5.5	4.6	5.5	5.1	6.3	4.8	4.9
		Above bachelor's degree	3.8	x	4.5	x	3.5	x	5.3	3.3	4.5	3.5
	Women	Total, all education levels	11.3	10.8	9.3	8.8	8.3	9.1	8.4	8.0	7.9	7.6
		0 - 8 years	14.3	18.9	20.0	14.0	14.0	22.2	15.9	25.0	x	16.7
		Some high school	17.4	19.5	16.4	15.5	16.6	15.7	14.0	13.8	15.5	16.4
		High school graduate	10.7	11.6	9.0	9.1	8.7	10.4	8.9	9.7	8.4	7.7
		Some post-secondary	14.8	13.0	9.9	10.6	8.8	9.4	10.1	8.7	8.8	8.7
		Post-secondary certificate or diploma	9.7	8.4	8.4	7.5	6.8	7.7	7.6	6.4	6.7	6.3
		University degree	7.0	5.9	4.7	4.2	4.3	5.0	4.5	4.9	4.8	4.0
		Bachelor's degree	6.9	6.2	4.9	5.1	4.7	4.6	4.7	5.4	4.9	3.9
		Above bachelor's degree	7.2	5.0	x	x	x	6.1	3.9	3.5	4.3	3.5

Note: Data is available from 1990-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0004

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TABLE 10 - Duration of Unemployment, by Sex, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s)

Geography	Duration	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada											
Both sexes	Total unemployed	1,432.2	1,373.1	1,270.1	1,181.6	1,082.8	1,163.6	1,268.9	1,286.2	1,235.3	1,172.8
	1 - 4 weeks	397.0	435.8	406.8	384.9	373.8	430.5	455.6	465.8	458.7	438.8
	5 - 13 weeks	359.2	335.7	332.5	318.9	301.4	336.2	348.3	351.7	338.9	322.7
	14 - 25 weeks	231.7	202.3	190.4	188.4	157.0	156.9	187.7	189.0	170.5	164.8
	26 weeks	22.0	16.3	14.6	13.4	10.9	10.3	13.8	14.7	11.9	12.2
	27 weeks or more	387.8	342.0	282.1	230.2	190.7	176.0	210.7	210.5	197.3	179.8
	27 - 51 weeks	153.6	127.4	112.9	97.5	74.5	70.7	94.0	87.6	85.1	72.0
	52 weeks	39.1	47.1	46.6	37.8	42.9	48.1	52.9	57.5	54.8	50.4
	53 weeks or more	195.1	167.5	122.6	95.0	73.3	57.1	63.8	65.5	57.4	57.4
	Duration unknown	34.4	40.9	43.6	45.7	49.0	53.7	52.8	54.6	57.9	54.6
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		26.4	24.0	22.3	19.8	17.9	18.3	17.8	16.9	17.1
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	24.1	22.3	20.3	18.8	17.2	15.4	16.1	16.0	15.5	15.5
Males	Total unemployed	806.8	763.1	711.5	660.4	595.3	655.1	721.7	719.6	685.4	649.0
	1 - 4 weeks	219.4	234.0	218.3	203.9	197.5	234.9	249.3	246.4	245.7	234.0
	5 - 13 weeks	201.2	184.1	188.2	172.8	168.6	191.2	200.0	197.7	190.3	183.1
	14 - 25 weeks	131.6	114.4	106.5	111.5	85.5	90.0	110.2	111.3	95.6	93.7
	26 weeks	12.5	8.5	8.5	7.8	5.5	5.4	7.7	7.3	6.0	6.5
	27 weeks or more	224.9	201.8	168.1	140.7	113.7	106.7	126.5	129.3	117.8	104.3
	27 - 51 weeks	84.2	69.4	64.9	59.3	43.7	41.1	55.3	50.7	49.3	41.4
	52 weeks	19.8	24.8	24.7	21.3	24.6	28.3	29.3	34.2	31.3	29.0
	53 weeks or more	120.9	107.6	78.5	60.2	45.4	37.3	41.9	44.4	37.2	33.8
	Duration unknown	17.2	20.4	22.0	23.7	24.6	27.0	28.0	27.5	30.0	27.4
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		28.7	25.5	24.4	21.3	19.2	19.4	19.2	18.0	17.8
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	25.1	23.9	21.5	20.1	18.1	16.2	16.7	17.1	16.3	15.9
Females	Total unemployed	625.4	610.0	558.6	521.2	487.5	508.5	547.2	566.6	549.9	523.8
	1 - 4 weeks	177.5	201.8	188.5	181.0	176.3	195.7	206.3	219.4	213.0	204.8
	5 - 13 weeks	158.0	151.6	144.4	146.0	132.8	145.0	148.3	153.9	148.6	139.6
	14 - 25 weeks	100.1	87.9	83.9	77.0	71.5	66.9	77.4	77.7	74.9	71.2
	26 weeks	9.5	7.8	6.1	5.6	5.4	5.0	6.1	7.4	5.9	5.7
	27 weeks or more	163.0	140.3	114.0	89.5	77.0	69.3	84.2	81.2	79.5	75.5
	27 - 51 weeks	69.4	57.9	48.0	38.2	30.8	29.5	38.7	36.9	35.7	30.6
	52 weeks	19.3	22.3	21.9	16.5	18.3	19.9	23.6	23.2	23.6	21.4
	53 weeks or more	74.2	60.0	44.1	34.8	27.9	19.9	22.0	21.1	20.2	23.6
	Duration unknown	17.3	20.5	21.6	22.1	24.5	26.7	24.8	27.1	28.0	27.1
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		23.6	21.9	19.6	18.0	16.1	16.7	16.0	15.5	16.3
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	22.7	20.4	18.9	17.1	16.0	14.3	15.1	14.5	14.5	14.9

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TABLE 10 - Duration of Unemployment, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Geography	Duration	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia											
Both sexes	Total unemployed	53.2	53.1	46.6	42.9	41.4	44.8	44.8	43.4	42.8	40.8
	1 - 4 weeks	14.4	16.6	15.8	15.4	14.0	14.6	16.5	15.8	15.4	14.3
	5 - 13 weeks	13.7	13.2	11.5	11.9	12.1	12.7	12.8	12.1	11.3	11.9
	14 - 25 weeks	9.0	8.5	7.0	6.0	6.3	7.3	6.4	7.0	6.1	6.2
	26 weeks	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	x	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	x
	27 weeks or more	13.8	12.6	10.2	6.8	6.5	6.9	6.0	5.4	6.5	5.3
	27 - 51 weeks	6.0	5.1	4.0	3.0	2.5	3.1	2.9	2.7	3.1	2.6
	52 weeks	1.4	1.8	1.5	0.8	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.5
	53 weeks or more	6.5	5.7	4.7	3.0	2.6	2.1	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.1
	Duration unknown	1.5	1.8	1.6	2.2	2.2	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.9
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		23.6	22.0	18.6	20.1	18.0	16.6	14.2	15.9	14.5
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	22.2	20.6	19.5	16.4	16.3	16.0	14.2	13.8	14.9	13.8
Males	Total unemployed	30.9	31.5	27.5	24.6	23.6	25.0	26.0	25.4	24.5	23.2
	1 - 4 weeks	8.1	9.8	8.8	8.6	7.6	7.8	9.3	8.8	8.5	7.7
	5 - 13 weeks	7.9	8.0	7.0	6.9	7.2	7.3	7.7	7.1	6.3	6.7
	14 - 25 weeks	5.5	5.2	4.2	3.3	3.6	4.1	3.8	4.2	3.6	3.5
	26 weeks	0.5	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	27 weeks or more	8.2	7.4	6.4	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.4	3.4	4.1	3.4
	27 - 51 weeks	3.7	3.0	2.4	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.7
	52 weeks	0.8	0.9	0.9	x	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2	0.9
	53 weeks or more	3.8	3.5	3.1	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.8
	Duration unknown	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.8
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		23.9	23.7	19.0	21.9	18.8	18.1	15.2	17.4	15.5
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	22.6	20.5	20.6	17.0	17.0	16.4	14.6	14.8	16.1	14.7
Females	Total unemployed	22.3	21.7	19.0	18.3	17.8	19.8	18.8	18.0	18.3	17.6
	1 - 4 weeks	6.3	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.4	6.8	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.6
	5 - 13 weeks	5.8	5.2	4.6	5.1	4.9	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.2
	14 - 25 weeks	3.5	3.3	2.8	2.7	2.7	3.2	2.6	2.8	2.5	2.7
	26 weeks	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	27 weeks or more	5.6	5.2	3.7	2.6	2.6	3.1	2.6	2.0	2.4	1.9
	27 - 51 weeks	2.3	2.1	1.6	1.1	1.0	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.3	0.9
	52 weeks	0.7	0.9	0.6	x	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6
	53 weeks or more	2.7	2.2	1.5	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.5	x	x	x
	Duration unknown	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1
	Average weeks unemployed (no top-code)		23.2	19.6	18.1	17.7	16.9	14.5	12.8	13.8	13.3
	Average weeks unemployed (top-code = 99 weeks)	21.6	20.7	17.8	15.5	15.4	15.6	13.7	12.4	13.3	12.5

Note: Data is available from 1976-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM 282-0048

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TABLE 11 - Days Lost and Hours Worked--Usual and Actual (All Jobs), Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005

Geography	Days lost	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada											
Both sexes	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	8.8	9.3	9.7	10.1	9.9	10.6	11.8	12.2	12.4	13.2
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	7.3	7.8	8.0	8.0	8.4	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.5
	Own illness or disability	5.6	6.2	6.6	6.7	6.7	7.0	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.7
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.7	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.5
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8
Men	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	5.9	6.3	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.6	8.0	8.2	8.0	8.6
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	6.3	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.6	8.0	8.2	8.0	8.6
	Own illness or disability	5.0	5.3	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.5	6.6	6.4	6.9
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7
Women	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	13.1	13.8	13.8	14.4	13.9	14.8	17.0	17.7	18.4	19.4
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	8.9	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.6	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.8
	Own illness or disability	6.5	7.4	7.6	7.8	7.7	7.8	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	6.6	6.4	6.2	6.5	6.2	7.0	8.5	9.1	9.7	10.5
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.0

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TABLE 11 - Days Lost and Hours Worked--Usual and Actual (All Jobs), Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Hours Worked	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	Hours worked - Usual (All Jobs)										
	Total employed	13,421.4	13,706.0	14,046.2	14,406.7	14,764.2	14,946.2	15,310.4	15,672.3	15,947.0	16,169.7
	01 - 14 hours	878.0	854.0	838.4	818.3	813.2	784.5	845.6	884.0	855.9	851.9
	15 - 29 hours	1,558.6	1,631.6	1,673.4	1,696.4	1,723.6	1,778.9	1,869.8	1,923.0	1,927.3	1,943.3
	30 - 34 hours	814.1	860.9	888.8	903.7	950.6	974.3	992.6	1,039.5	1,080.4	1,074.2
	35 - 39 hours	2,345.8	2,706.9	2,778.3	2,897.0	3,000.2	3,142.5	3,249.7	3,305.2	3,373.1	3,452.3
	40 hours	4,891.0	4,910.6	5,078.6	5,308.4	5,505.0	5,513.3	5,625.0	5,755.9	5,787.2	5,837.4
	41 - 49 hours	984.7	974.0	1,010.9	1,023.1	1,056.1	1,081.1	1,112.0	1,122.8	1,164.9	1,217.1
	50 hours or more	1,949.1	1,768.1	1,777.9	1,759.9	1,715.4	1,671.7	1,615.7	1,642.0	1,758.1	1,793.6
	Total usual hours	505,920.5	512,658.0	525,209.9	539,270.7	551,601.4	557,820.6	567,008.4	579,205.3	592,821.5	602,580.3
	Average usual hours	37.7	37.4	37.4	37.4	37.4	37.3	37.0	37.0	37.2	37.3
	Hours worked - Actual (All Jobs)										
	Total employed	13,421.4	13,706.0	14,046.2	14,406.7	14,764.2	14,946.2	15,310.4	15,672.3	15,947.0	16,169.7
	0 hours	997.3	1,061.1	1,119.4	1,088.4	1,099.5	1,177.0	1,223.7	1,283.2	1,283.0	1,307.8
	01 - 14 hours	911.4	918.9	922.1	913.0	916.6	939.9	1,011.2	1,062.4	1,036.9	1,023.5
	15 - 29 hours	1,688.2	1,742.0	1,854.9	1,876.4	1,854.8	2,020.7	2,108.7	2,291.4	2,297.4	2,245.2
	30 - 34 hours	1,223.5	1,185.6	1,334.4	1,306.7	1,165.7	1,474.1	1,526.4	1,882.8	1,736.8	1,644.9
	35 - 39 hours	1,765.9	1,918.2	1,921.6	2,033.2	2,169.2	2,139.1	2,176.9	2,134.5	2,233.6	2,326.4
	40 hours	3,430.2	3,258.5	3,252.1	3,435.9	3,645.7	3,418.3	3,349.1	3,261.2	3,429.5	3,458.5
	41 - 49 hours	1,291.6	1,490.9	1,524.5	1,583.1	1,693.7	1,696.1	1,818.8	1,743.6	1,800.3	1,943.4
	50 hours or more	2,113.4	2,130.9	2,117.1	2,169.9	2,219.1	2,080.9	2,095.5	2,013.3	2,129.5	2,220.1
	Total actual hours	467,669.8	477,875.6	485,315.4	501,868.7	517,832.2	514,096.6	522,875.9	525,942.5	540,551.7	552,654.5
	Average actual hours (all workers)	34.8	34.9	34.6	34.8	35.1	34.4	34.2	33.6	33.9	34.2
	Average actual hours (worked in reference wee	37.6	37.8	37.5	37.7	37.9	37.3	37.1	36.6	36.9	37.2

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TABLE 11 - Days Lost and Hours Worked--Usual and Actual (All Jobs), Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Days lost	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia											
Both sexes	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	9.1	8.5	9.3	9.6	11.0	12.0	12.9	12.3	13.8	14.0
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	7.1	7.8	8.1	9.4	9.6	10.3	9.7	10.8	10.6
	Own illness or disability	6.1	6.0	6.7	7.0	8.2	8.2	8.7	8.0	9.0	8.8
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	3.0	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.8	5.2
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8
Men	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	6.1	5.9	7.0	7.6	7.8	8.3	9.1	8.4	9.1	9.3
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	5.9	7.0	7.6	7.8	8.3	9.1	8.4	9.1	9.3
	Own illness or disability	5.3	5.1	6.2	6.6	6.7	7.2	7.8	6.9	7.3	7.7
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.6
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.6
Women	Total, days lost (incl. maternity leave)	13.5	12.3	12.6	12.5	15.4	17.1	17.9	17.5	20.0	20.1
	Total, days lost (excl. maternity leave)	--	8.8	9.1	8.7	11.7	11.3	11.9	11.4	13.1	12.3
	Own illness or disability	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.5	10.2	9.5	9.9	9.5	11.3	10.4
	Other personal (incl. maternity leave)	6.1	4.9	5.2	5.0	5.2	7.6	8.0	8.0	8.7	9.8
	Other personal (excl. maternity leave)	--	1.5	1.8	1.2	1.4	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0

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TABLE 11 - Days Lost and Hours Worked--Usual and Actual (All Jobs), Canada and Nova Scotia, 1996-2005 - cont'd

Geography	Hours Worked	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nova Scotia	Hours worked - Usual (All Jobs)										
	Total employed	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	01 - 14 hours	27.7	26.0	25.3	24.8	21.4	23.2	24.0	24.8	24.9	25.4
	15 - 29 hours	45.2	49.9	49.0	49.1	51.5	47.3	52.2	53.9	54.7	53.6
	30 - 34 hours	26.3	26.0	27.8	29.6	28.1	31.1	29.3	29.1	32.0	31.1
	35 - 39 hours	56.1	65.7	71.5	71.0	76.0	79.6	77.6	84.3	81.2	82.8
	40 hours	137.5	135.8	139.7	145.0	151.6	151.1	152.3	155.5	157.7	157.4
	41 - 49 hours	28.4	28.4	29.8	31.6	33.9	35.5	36.5	36.1	40.6	40.5
	50 hours or more	55.8	50.2	52.2	52.8	48.9	47.3	51.0	47.4	51.1	52.3
	Total usual hours	14,239.6	14,308.1	14,861.3	15,161.2	15,472.9	15,575.3	15,911.4	16,035.7	16,543.5	16,599.7
	Average usual hours	37.8	37.5	37.6	37.5	37.6	37.5	37.6	37.2	37.4	37.5
	Hours worked - Actual (All Jobs)										
	Total employed	376.9	382.0	395.3	404.0	411.4	415.2	422.9	431.2	442.2	443.1
	0 hours	28.7	28.6	31.4	31.7	34.0	35.3	36.0	37.1	41.5	37.7
	01 - 14 hours	29.1	28.5	28.1	27.7	25.7	27.9	29.4	30.2	31.4	31.7
	15 - 29 hours	49.8	54.0	55.0	54.8	54.5	55.9	61.7	65.9	74.8	64.4
	30 - 34 hours	38.9	36.2	42.4	41.4	32.8	40.9	45.6	53.4	52.2	49.4
	35 - 39 hours	42.1	46.6	47.2	49.2	53.1	52.7	51.4	53.7	51.3	54.9
	40 hours	92.9	87.1	85.8	90.7	98.7	89.0	85.5	80.3	84.3	90.2
	41 - 49 hours	35.5	41.7	45.4	46.5	51.1	52.8	51.9	52.6	50.7	53.4
	50 hours or more	59.7	59.3	59.9	61.9	61.5	60.6	61.4	57.8	56.1	61.5
	Total actual hours	13,058.9	13,259.9	13,659.0	13,968.5	14,294.2	14,275.7	14,405.8	14,422.7	14,474.7	14,914.8
	Average actual hours (all workers)	34.6	34.7	34.6	34.6	34.7	34.4	34.1	33.4	32.7	33.7
	Average actual hours (worked in reference we	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.9	37.6	37.2	36.6	36.1	36.8

Note: Data is available from 1987-2005 for days lost; data is available from 1976-2005 for actual hours worked (all jobs)

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Tables 282-0016, 282-0018; 282-0030

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TABLE 12A - Average Hourly Wage Rates ($) of Employees by Industry, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005

Average Hourly Wage Rates

Industry - Type of work	1999 Employees			2000 Employees			2001 Employees			2002 Employees			2003 Employees			2004 Employees			2005 Employees		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Canada																					
Total employees	16.17	17.19	11.46	16.66	17.72	11.73	17.22	18.29	12.27	17.66	18.82	12.42	18.04	19.23	12.77	18.50	19.70	13.06	19.09	20.31	13.45
Goods-producing sector	17.16	17.45	11.21	17.79	18.05	12.19	18.40	18.67	12.68	18.87	19.15	12.62	19.30	19.58	13.32	19.72	20.02	13.30	20.28	20.58	13.70
Agriculture	10.48	11.04	8.79	10.43	10.88	8.86	11.01	11.33	9.89	11.08	11.64	9.13	11.61	12.08	9.88	11.85	12.17	10.59	12.15	12.53	10.51
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	20.48	20.73	13.80	20.78	21.01	14.41	21.31	21.50	15.93	22.75	23.01	14.64	22.65	22.85	16.18	23.20	23.49	15.21	24.31	24.56	15.88
Utilities	23.74	23.87	14.85	24.40	24.53	18.44	25.30	25.41	20.36	26.32	26.59	16.77	26.92	27.00	22.40	27.81	28.06	17.85	28.52	28.69	18.36
Construction	17.13	17.46	12.28	17.79	18.12	13.10	18.56	18.87	13.49	19.01	19.28	14.74	19.23	19.54	13.95	19.54	19.81	15.00	20.06	20.37	14.71
Manufacturing	16.87	17.06	11.41	17.55	17.71	12.58	18.04	18.23	12.65	18.40	18.60	12.45	18.93	19.12	13.64	19.33	19.56	12.92	19.86	20.09	13.86
Services-producing sector	15.83	17.08	11.48	16.28	17.58	11.70	16.82	18.13	12.24	17.26	18.69	12.41	17.63	19.09	12.73	18.10	19.57	13.05	18.71	20.21	13.43
Trade	12.54	14.15	8.51	12.83	14.49	8.53	13.20	14.93	8.84	13.41	15.26	8.93	13.72	15.69	9.05	14.09	16.03	9.30	14.47	16.44	9.43
Transportation and warehousing	16.59	16.90	14.19	17.35	17.78	13.98	17.78	18.29	13.89	18.16	18.55	15.10	18.51	18.94	15.23	18.75	19.24	15.23	19.13	19.53	16.10
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	17.58	18.50	11.83	18.19	19.11	12.39	18.98	19.88	13.07	19.77	20.85	12.86	19.67	20.70	13.25	20.37	21.40	13.60	21.05	22.08	13.82
Professional, scientific and technical services	19.92	20.52	13.58	20.88	21.57	13.67	21.71	22.47	14.51	22.28	23.00	14.90	22.75	23.64	14.92	23.35	24.19	15.43	24.36	25.09	16.67
Business, building and other support services	11.95	12.54	9.72	12.28	12.85	10.05	12.97	13.55	10.54	13.19	13.85	10.45	13.55	14.14	10.81	13.88	14.40	11.32	13.97	14.55	11.07
Educational services	21.15	21.98	18.26	21.57	22.33	19.02	21.97	22.51	20.32	22.68	23.35	20.57	23.16	23.90	20.86	23.86	24.77	21.12	24.48	25.42	21.51
Health care and social assistance	16.68	17.15	15.40	17.15	17.69	15.67	17.76	18.21	16.42	18.60	19.20	16.92	19.02	19.56	17.55	19.62	20.25	17.83	20.23	20.82	18.51
Information, culture and recreation	16.98	18.77	10.18	16.86	18.75	10.18	17.65	19.54	10.64	17.38	19.36	11.10	17.81	20.05	10.84	18.34	20.38	11.41	19.08	21.23	12.28
Accommodation and food services	9.13	10.07	7.81	9.39	10.40	7.98	9.72	10.73	8.33	9.91	10.98	8.52	10.25	11.41	8.71	10.41	11.55	8.89	10.96	12.33	9.12
Other services	13.13	13.79	10.44	14.01	14.71	11.03	14.38	15.08	11.44	14.54	15.37	11.18	14.99	15.70	12.12	15.44	16.20	12.48	16.04	16.95	12.38
Public administration	20.62	21.13	14.49	21.33	21.91	14.24	22.10	22.66	15.12	23.17	23.72	15.56	24.07	24.59	16.82	24.62	25.15	17.27	25.50	26.06	17.80

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TABLE 12A - Average Hourly Wage Rates ($) of Employees by Industry, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 - cont'd

Average Hourly Wage Rates

Industry - Type of work	1999 Employees			2000 Employees			2001 Employees			2002 Employees			2003 Employees			2004 Employees			2005 Employees		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Nova Scotia																					
Total employees	13.45	14.38	9.30	14.01	14.91	9.93	14.53	15.42	10.18	14.81	15.79	10.29	15.42	16.44	10.79	15.79	16.82	11.11	16.24	17.26	11.49
Goods-producing sector	14.37	14.69	9.86	14.59	14.88	9.86	15.31	15.62	10.17	15.50	15.82	10.12	15.79	16.03	10.82	16.37	16.68	11.53	16.33	16.65	10.66
Agriculture	8.20	8.36	7.43	8.68	8.96	7.37	9.17	9.46	8.13	9.40	9.91	7.24	9.62	9.55	9.89	9.98	9.96	10.06	10.44	11.21	8.21
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	14.41	14.61	10.57	14.78	14.92	x	15.57	15.79	11.75	15.61	15.81	x	16.24	16.21	x	16.88	17.18	13.69	16.29	16.61	12.18
Utilities	18.78	18.95	x	20.25	20.56	x	20.63	20.77	x	20.41	20.60	x	20.90	20.90	x	22.76	22.95	x	19.09	19.09	x
Construction	14.38	14.74	9.93	14.68	14.94	11.11	15.09	15.34	11.39	14.90	15.15	10.55	15.69	15.86	10.37	15.87	16.04	12.42	16.51	16.71	11.63
Manufacturing	14.79	15.06	10.15	14.79	15.03	9.72	15.65	15.89	10.08	16.02	16.28	10.57	15.99	16.26	10.41	16.61	16.97	10.85	16.67	16.91	11.10
Services-producing sector	13.20	14.28	9.25	13.86	14.92	9.93	14.33	15.36	10.19	14.63	15.78	10.30	15.32	16.56	10.79	15.64	16.86	11.08	16.21	17.43	11.54
Trade	9.98	11.26	6.98	10.38	11.63	7.26	10.74	12.00	7.32	10.95	12.35	7.29	11.64	13.29	7.73	11.85	13.43	7.84	12.50	13.99	8.49
Transportation and warehousing	15.87	16.22	12.54	15.51	15.96	12.50	16.22	16.42	14.41	16.77	17.09	14.15	16.91	17.27	14.19	16.91	17.26	13.98	17.87	18.13	15.85
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	14.31	15.09	9.42	15.24	16.07	10.54	15.75	16.37	11.42	15.80	16.58	10.25	17.07	17.90	11.50	17.25	18.36	11.29	17.24	17.98	12.08
Professional, scientific and technical services	16.32	16.94	10.50	17.79	18.09	15.19	19.06	19.67	14.37	20.17	20.91	13.77	21.09	21.78	13.86	19.47	20.34	11.92	21.57	22.04	16.88
Business, building and other support services	8.90	9.16	7.87	10.20	10.61	8.16	10.60	10.90	8.06	11.05	11.40	8.42	11.16	11.49	9.18	11.46	11.73	9.33	11.66	11.93	9.70
Educational services	17.18	18.48	12.09	18.16	18.98	14.89	19.05	20.05	15.35	19.72	21.05	15.13	20.23	21.59	15.66	21.22	22.62	16.75	21.26	23.22	15.08
Health care and social assistance	14.31	14.57	13.39	14.78	15.14	13.51	15.56	16.00	13.72	16.31	16.48	15.61	16.72	17.05	15.58	17.97	18.30	16.59	18.36	18.62	17.25
Information, culture and recreation	14.25	16.02	8.57	15.66	17.38	9.06	14.56	16.23	8.99	14.50	16.33	8.83	15.23	17.19	9.13	14.99	16.49	9.59	15.23	16.98	9.77
Accommodation and food services	7.54	8.04	6.71	7.93	8.57	6.80	8.28	8.97	6.90	8.25	9.03	6.87	8.95	9.64	7.71	8.83	9.56	7.82	9.40	10.25	7.98
Other services	11.69	12.28	9.39	11.95	12.49	9.76	11.58	11.79	10.64	12.34	12.83	11.08	12.20	12.77	9.81	13.66	14.58	9.11	12.93	13.70	10.46
Public administration	18.05	18.23	14.71	19.39	19.87	12.25	20.31	20.80	13.26	21.28	21.70	14.24	22.02	22.61	13.53	21.81	22.26	15.65	23.37	23.90	16.26

Note: Data is available from 1997-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB, CANSIM Table 282-0072

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TABLE 12B - Average Weekly Wage Rates ($) of Employees by Industry, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005

Average Weekly Wage Rates

Industry - Type of work	1999 Employees			2000 Employees			2001 Employees			2002 Employees			2003 Employees			2004 Employees			2005 Employees		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Canada																					
Total employees	597.08	681.22	206.28	616.02	702.66	210.86	635.75	725.19	221.67	649.94	744.36	224.28	662.44	759.71	230.26	679.83	777.90	236.39	703.35	803.11	243.21
Goods-producing sector	688.52	712.75	187.35	714.28	737.67	207.35	739.01	763.29	218.94	756.42	781.30	214.72	773.10	798.26	228.93	791.60	817.64	227.50	815.75	842.47	244.42
Agriculture	406.99	498.61	126.26	408.60	488.67	125.56	422.45	501.26	144.76	432.25	515.73	141.89	455.87	537.15	150.52	462.10	538.70	157.54	484.62	559.12	163.35
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	875.13	899.51	234.70	894.50	917.57	241.36	928.61	951.45	291.58	986.99	1,010.74	242.52	982.26	1,005.49	261.75	1,015.10	1,042.60	248.44	1,072.41	1,095.91	267.26
Utilities	906.88	916.02	290.56	930.61	942.54	383.03	962.69	975.32	414.80	1,004.73	1,024.15	301.78	1,034.43	1,043.63	472.24	1,062.80	1,080.46	349.98	1,089.06	1,101.64	347.58
Construction	694.95	728.62	202.54	720.96	755.75	222.55	753.53	784.84	236.03	768.76	802.26	241.90	777.22	808.85	238.70	792.42	824.40	257.74	815.17	847.37	264.46
Manufacturing	672.59	688.50	199.92	699.61	714.87	222.48	718.71	736.18	222.29	731.80	748.84	221.10	751.19	769.71	240.22	768.37	787.65	227.32	788.66	808.68	254.75
Services-producing sector	565.79	668.00	207.62	582.34	687.93	211.10	601.34	709.59	221.85	614.23	729.02	224.90	625.89	743.91	230.34	643.25	761.84	236.96	667.31	787.64	243.13
Trade	447.52	565.79	151.71	459.89	579.32	151.91	472.43	597.59	157.73	477.46	608.18	159.02	487.55	625.27	160.84	502.17	638.49	166.50	518.08	654.04	169.55
Transportation and warehousing	661.41	713.05	267.12	691.52	746.54	259.61	708.47	767.38	259.63	724.83	780.90	285.27	737.79	795.68	295.93	746.85	811.01	284.59	767.18	829.39	304.75
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	652.10	721.12	218.40	674.72	744.72	231.72	703.11	772.72	249.43	732.53	809.58	238.79	731.45	808.13	249.03	755.49	831.81	254.65	779.31	853.06	262.27
Professional, scientific and technical services	765.48	814.17	243.64	806.10	860.56	236.10	835.70	896.85	257.93	855.31	912.98	261.00	863.90	931.81	264.43	887.81	952.36	275.15	933.82	993.49	302.58
Business, building and other support services	430.45	498.74	171.43	442.84	511.11	173.59	467.80	535.69	185.04	478.54	549.21	184.54	494.74	558.87	195.45	506.31	568.24	203.04	510.81	573.84	198.83
Educational services	723.36	838.12	325.19	734.02	853.00	339.47	734.56	857.71	356.76	760.19	887.54	358.87	776.50	908.38	365.03	798.47	940.20	369.49	821.60	966.47	365.39
Health care and social assistance	551.69	643.70	303.03	568.34	662.04	309.36	583.89	683.84	329.41	618.75	718.00	338.94	627.08	729.58	346.02	653.37	757.43	353.38	674.89	779.23	366.40
Information, culture and recreation	616.01	736.96	157.66	610.42	736.58	159.38	640.78	768.28	166.56	618.07	757.01	177.54	632.40	782.44	166.83	651.52	791.86	176.01	677.21	829.56	195.92
Accommodation and food services	285.04	392.33	134.10	293.63	406.65	135.74	302.16	417.27	144.04	303.57	425.17	146.88	318.18	444.60	151.27	322.15	448.71	153.60	342.13	479.53	156.87
Other services	479.18	554.14	175.18	513.86	591.98	182.26	526.23	606.09	194.72	532.94	618.17	190.66	542.17	626.20	198.93	556.65	644.15	218.58	589.08	682.49	216.12
Public administration	762.33	803.89	260.30	788.57	832.62	250.06	817.56	862.19	257.49	859.98	901.74	283.15	893.34	935.39	306.17	911.59	954.32	325.32	943.37	987.82	329.74

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TABLE 12B - Average Weekly Wage Rates ($) of Employees by Industry, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 - cont'd

Average Weekly Wage Rates

Industry - Type of work	1999 Employees Total	1999 Full-Time	1999 Part-Time	2000 Employees Total	2000 Full-Time	2000 Part-Time	2001 Employees Total	2001 Full-Time	2001 Part-Time	2002 Employees Total	2002 Full-Time	2002 Part-Time	2003 Employees Total	2003 Full-Time	2003 Part-Time	2004 Employees Total	2004 Full-Time	2004 Part-Time	2005 Employees Total	2005 Full-Time	2005 Part-Time
Nova Scotia																					
Total employees	504.77	580.76	166.25	523.89	599.67	178.66	543.33	617.34	181.18	558.11	638.70	185.02	574.14	656.76	198.44	588.07	673.63	201.49	607.46	693.51	207.44
Goods-producing sector	596.43	626.72	167.83	603.79	630.70	162.30	638.03	666.00	177.27	650.19	677.80	175.34	655.53	678.63	182.23	677.27	708.16	200.25	685.93	715.17	178.08
Agriculture	333.64	381.34	102.88	341.78	390.57	109.18	367.63	434.40	126.82	383.23	445.08	123.07	383.74	432.57	167.50	399.49	443.86	161.17	413.28	511.11	131.50
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	690.30	718.19	176.03	709.20	734.95	x	750.39	782.23	201.85	787.43	816.48	x	779.82	794.92	x	815.95	871.48	232.45	804.04	848.75	212.00
Utilities	688.66	713.73	x	776.97	793.07	x	815.25	823.02	x	793.73	812.35	x	805.42	805.42	x	866.74	877.87	x	759.67	759.67	x
Construction	606.58	642.35	162.25	604.05	633.46	195.70	628.04	655.88	204.56	630.02	655.76	188.36	664.99	681.81	146.68	662.13	683.14	222.12	694.67	715.10	187.07
Manufacturing	594.83	618.99	184.45	597.29	617.96	160.96	634.21	653.77	181.32	644.70	666.06	184.52	641.52	663.91	180.63	667.20	696.90	189.73	675.19	696.16	189.07
Services-producing sector	479.95	565.96	166.13	502.83	589.88	179.83	519.28	602.81	181.47	533.98	626.44	185.69	553.10	649.90	199.35	565.69	663.32	201.58	588.63	687.32	209.30
Trade	360.84	458.84	130.36	372.31	467.93	135.28	387.06	481.75	130.80	398.82	501.21	132.55	416.12	532.05	140.50	426.23	539.00	139.57	453.95	566.34	151.29
Transportation and warehousing	650.95	697.39	210.07	626.41	686.18	227.51	660.87	704.65	269.74	700.49	757.74	231.67	666.76	719.88	266.79	701.86	754.27	266.86	753.04	809.47	302.61
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	535.76	593.20	175.30	567.24	631.86	201.85	583.66	638.38	201.54	592.14	648.32	190.56	637.79	698.55	227.96	630.52	707.74	212.21	640.81	697.97	240.94
Professional, scientific and technical services	623.19	669.27	186.79	666.18	719.24	220.46	710.88	771.13	246.39	767.02	832.98	202.21	819.28	874.80	230.59	746.84	811.94	187.74	829.41	879.52	330.65
Business, building and other support services	323.85	371.59	137.25	380.89	429.78	140.92	402.15	435.68	126.51	433.23	469.52	163.16	414.64	454.62	172.00	432.88	465.97	174.99	435.04	469.31	180.41
Educational services	611.11	716.84	196.10	641.21	734.92	266.01	664.24	768.28	280.05	689.01	808.84	274.95	701.49	821.90	297.63	732.08	866.52	303.27	745.66	898.55	262.41
Health care and social assistance	489.22	552.76	268.84	505.99	575.71	261.63	539.17	604.04	267.63	562.85	627.09	305.67	572.91	649.68	306.14	624.98	696.37	330.62	636.53	706.04	336.61
Information, culture and recreation	512.92	630.01	136.34	572.39	683.01	145.50	524.72	642.78	131.33	521.05	646.97	130.70	547.74	680.93	133.56	537.87	647.25	143.80	538.80	665.89	143.10
Accommodation and food services	241.37	316.76	115.94	258.48	336.05	121.65	273.70	350.46	120.24	270.61	353.51	121.73	293.11	381.04	134.99	276.75	374.90	138.67	304.50	403.32	140.58
Other services	430.40	506.70	135.06	466.68	540.44	170.91	428.52	485.82	169.25	441.47	538.59	194.23	454.69	520.28	177.14	520.85	596.38	145.50	454.10	542.89	171.81
Public administration	686.95	710.50	249.56	726.68	764.45	168.07	761.65	800.43	208.28	809.97	845.36	217.30	832.29	873.29	237.97	818.23	858.93	264.38	875.18	918.16	296.61

Note: Data is available from 1997-2005

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TABLE 13A - Average Hourly Wages ($) of Employees by Occupation, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005

Average Hourly Wages

Occupation	1999 Employees			2000 Employees			2001 Employees			2002 Employees			2003 Employees			2004 Employees			2005 Employees		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Canada																					
Total employees	16.17	17.19	11.46	16.66	17.72	11.73	17.22	18.29	12.27	17.66	18.82	12.42	18.04	19.23	12.77	18.50	19.70	13.06	19.09	20.31	13.45
Management occupations	23.64	23.92	15.53	24.88	25.07	19.30	26.52	26.77	18.58	27.68	27.95	18.36	28.46	28.66	21.23	29.46	29.69	21.20	29.86	30.08	21.67
Senior management occupations	30.21	30.75	18.33	31.71	31.84	28.94	32.47	32.83	22.65	34.37	34.93	21.22	36.92	37.41	26.11	37.48	37.98	24.29	38.36	38.76	28.33
Other management occupations	23.01	23.27	15.16	24.25	24.45	18.10	26.03	26.27	18.17	27.14	27.40	18.02	27.73	27.91	20.48	28.65	28.86	20.76	29.10	29.32	20.76
Business, finance and administrative occupations	15.58	16.15	12.26	15.98	16.57	12.65	16.50	17.11	13.05	17.07	17.72	13.29	17.33	18.00	13.66	17.76	18.36	14.31	18.23	18.92	14.17
Professional occupations in business and finance	22.41	22.64	17.89	23.36	23.54	19.82	24.01	24.16	21.32	25.07	25.21	21.83	25.58	25.69	23.34	26.26	26.22	27.06	27.33	27.42	25.32
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	15.76	16.12	13.64	16.18	16.55	14.04	16.73	17.11	14.57	17.12	17.64	14.30	17.80	18.27	15.13	18.10	18.55	15.37	18.55	19.07	15.36
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	13.86	14.41	11.26	14.33	14.89	11.63	14.79	15.39	11.91	15.20	15.77	12.40	15.39	16.01	12.55	15.80	16.35	13.14	16.09	16.70	13.11
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	22.26	22.53	15.25	23.35	23.48	19.57	24.66	24.78	20.81	25.17	25.31	21.11	25.58	25.72	21.71	26.32	26.48	21.46	26.91	27.10	21.27
Health occupations	18.60	18.74	18.21	18.90	19.16	18.20	19.65	19.82	19.16	20.63	20.96	19.76	21.14	21.43	20.40	22.01	22.42	20.89	22.45	22.77	21.55
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	22.29	22.38	22.05	23.06	23.11	22.92	23.78	23.59	24.36	25.26	25.26	25.24	26.22	26.16	26.39	27.29	27.33	27.17	27.57	27.62	27.42
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	15.56	15.74	15.10	15.62	15.91	14.91	16.44	16.81	15.43	16.79	17.17	15.84	17.25	17.71	16.08	18.00	18.44	16.88	18.61	19.01	17.56
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	21.63	22.13	19.49	21.87	22.19	20.51	22.30	22.49	21.58	23.03	23.31	21.85	23.48	23.79	22.28	24.40	24.80	22.88	25.04	25.46	23.33
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	18.59	19.42	14.67	18.86	19.62	15.30	19.45	20.18	16.03	20.14	20.95	15.95	20.76	21.61	16.63	21.57	22.46	17.63	22.31	23.20	17.72
Teachers and professors	24.02	24.30	22.84	24.33	24.38	24.13	24.71	24.57	25.18	25.55	25.55	25.57	25.88	25.85	25.98	26.84	26.95	26.50	27.38	27.55	26.82
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	16.25	17.42	13.23	16.81	18.55	12.14	16.84	18.30	12.81	17.44	18.99	13.61	17.74	19.51	13.35	18.65	20.58	13.44	19.63	21.42	15.34
Sales and service occupations	11.09	12.55	8.58	11.38	12.96	8.62	11.82	13.44	8.91	11.97	13.68	9.07	12.30	14.07	9.29	12.33	14.05	9.37	12.82	14.63	9.65
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and	17.63	17.98	12.72	17.97	18.33	12.64	18.47	18.85	13.02	18.91	19.40	12.85	19.39	19.93	13.19	19.37	19.84	12.53	20.25	20.67	14.20
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	9.53	10.99	7.95	9.83	11.39	7.98	10.11	11.66	8.22	10.29	11.98	8.28	10.57	12.46	8.42	10.58	12.30	8.51	10.81	12.49	8.79
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	9.31	9.94	8.33	9.63	10.40	8.47	9.97	10.62	8.99	10.21	10.95	9.23	10.54	11.32	9.42	10.68	11.40	9.64	11.12	11.95	9.93
Occupation in protective services	17.49	18.51	10.42	17.65	18.80	10.43	18.53	19.74	10.64	18.84	20.05	10.88	18.88	19.93	11.55	18.80	19.95	11.74	20.14	21.27	11.58
Childcare and home support workers	11.77	12.00	11.44	11.55	11.71	11.35	12.23	12.42	11.99	12.56	12.58	12.55	12.97	13.01	12.93	13.15	13.31	12.97	13.46	13.64	13.24
Sales and service occupations n.e.c., including occupations in travel and accommodati	10.12	11.08	8.60	10.28	11.37	8.56	10.59	11.75	8.77	10.76	11.93	8.96	11.09	12.30	9.19	11.18	12.45	9.22	11.59	12.90	9.52
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	16.38	16.72	11.10	16.97	17.32	11.35	17.52	17.85	12.34	17.83	18.15	12.59	18.21	18.58	12.54	18.43	18.80	12.92	18.91	19.29	12.94
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	20.65	20.70	x	21.44	21.45	x	22.45	22.49	x	22.75	22.89	14.88	23.05	23.12	18.61	23.44	23.45	x	23.96	23.99	x
Construction trades	16.98	17.12	13.59	17.62	17.77	13.89	18.03	18.21	13.01	18.23	18.38	14.59	18.68	18.85	13.93	18.93	19.10	14.76	19.27	19.42	15.58
Other trades occupations	17.68	17.87	10.99	18.30	18.48	11.60	18.78	18.93	13.70	19.26	19.39	13.44	19.72	19.86	14.28	20.00	20.17	13.52	20.52	20.70	13.57
Transport and equipment operators	14.95	15.30	11.85	15.54	15.97	11.82	16.06	16.45	12.60	16.25	16.61	13.01	16.80	17.28	12.76	16.93	17.36	13.38	17.39	17.83	13.56
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	13.40	13.95	9.30	13.65	14.16	9.60	14.23	14.70	10.61	14.28	14.72	10.76	14.67	15.20	10.69	14.89	15.37	11.30	15.22	15.79	10.97
Occupations unique to primary industry	13.16	13.93	8.62	13.65	14.38	8.95	14.32	14.95	9.92	14.45	15.21	9.41	14.94	15.69	9.76	15.27	15.89	10.34	15.63	16.30	10.47
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	14.21	14.39	9.86	14.76	14.92	10.47	15.26	15.41	11.43	15.42	15.62	10.83	16.00	16.19	11.14	16.30	16.52	11.46	16.71	16.91	11.94
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	14.73	14.86	10.38	15.25	15.37	11.09	15.80	15.92	11.89	15.97	16.12	11.32	16.58	16.72	11.70	16.93	17.09	11.81	17.42	17.55	12.98
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	12.17	12.43	9.12	12.56	12.82	9.44	12.79	12.97	10.63	12.83	13.12	10.09	13.36	13.65	10.33	13.51	13.78	10.97	13.92	14.23	10.58

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TABLE 13A - Average Hourly Wages ($) of Employees by Occupation, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 - cont'd

Average Hourly Wages

Occupation	1999 Employees			2000 Employees			2001 Employees			2002 Employees			2003 Employees			2004 Employees			2005 Employees		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Nova Scotia																					
Total employees	13.45	14.38	9.30	14.01	14.91	9.93	14.53	15.42	10.18	14.81	15.79	10.29	15.42	16.44	10.79	15.79	16.82	11.11	16.24	17.26	11.49
Management occupations	19.15	19.36	11.77	20.23	20.30	18.09	21.05	21.20	16.23	23.34	23.66	13.45	23.99	23.96	25.27	24.74	24.87	21.58	25.72	25.91	19.34
Senior management occupations	25.18	25.31	x	23.76	24.14	x	27.01	27.48	x	31.97	32.21	x	32.73	33.38	x	29.00	29.66	x	33.35	33.35	x
Other management occupations	18.72	18.94	11.16	20.05	20.11	18.27	20.69	20.83	15.66	22.57	22.89	12.54	23.32	23.25	26.37	24.39	24.51	20.61	25.08	25.28	18.90
Business, finance and administrative occupations	13.25	13.77	10.44	13.58	14.17	10.70	14.42	14.90	11.60	14.53	15.07	11.24	14.67	15.18	11.67	15.15	15.62	12.47	15.24	15.72	12.67
Professional occupations in business and finance	18.26	18.80	11.53	19.20	19.41	16.82	21.06	21.21	x	22.43	22.60	x	21.89	22.20	x	24.31	24.66	x	24.53	24.94	21.25
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	13.51	13.93	11.04	14.04	14.58	11.15	14.43	14.74	12.64	14.70	15.13	12.09	15.02	15.46	12.13	15.49	15.97	13.25	16.08	16.58	13.46
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	12.14	12.58	10.08	12.45	13.01	10.09	13.19	13.60	11.12	13.26	13.74	10.70	13.40	13.85	11.10	13.62	13.92	11.99	13.64	14.05	11.55
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	18.66	18.84	12.82	20.59	20.77	16.86	21.88	21.95	19.64	20.83	20.99	16.29	21.86	22.10	15.19	21.97	22.06	x	23.10	23.26	17.70
Health occupations	16.44	16.55	16.09	16.64	16.47	17.22	17.70	17.85	17.12	18.76	18.78	18.72	18.90	18.90	18.90	20.35	20.70	19.01	20.54	20.43	21.04
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	20.58	20.63	20.41	21.56	21.38	22.13	21.73	21.88	21.24	23.92	23.96	23.80	23.50	23.28	24.28	26.00	26.05	25.76	26.68	26.43	27.60
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	12.54	12.67	12.09	13.20	13.16	13.33	14.50	14.80	13.12	14.93	15.01	14.66	15.16	15.31	14.64	16.22	16.50	15.26	16.54	16.67	15.91
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	18.67	19.24	15.19	19.50	19.86	17.43	19.86	20.29	17.45	20.44	21.01	17.25	21.18	21.73	18.34	22.13	22.47	20.26	22.44	22.94	19.54
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	16.55	16.93	14.18	17.28	17.91	13.34	16.75	17.44	12.21	16.80	17.75	11.63	18.71	19.38	14.86	18.80	19.35	14.77	19.98	20.37	16.86
Teachers and professors	20.17	20.89	15.87	21.36	21.52	20.50	22.21	22.54	20.57	22.88	23.16	21.26	23.17	23.69	20.72	24.21	24.57	22.57	24.30	25.03	20.82
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	13.39	14.89	9.94	15.48	16.49	11.47	14.41	15.43	11.35	15.56	16.79	13.28	15.86	18.68	9.74	14.78	16.47	9.91	15.94	17.94	11.35
Sales and service occupations	9.06	10.21	7.04	9.51	10.74	7.15	9.73	10.86	7.35	9.95	11.18	7.51	10.45	11.84	7.92	10.43	11.68	8.19	10.93	12.24	8.40
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and	14.77	15.18	10.73	15.87	16.31	10.29	16.48	16.92	11.37	17.31	17.73	10.21	16.97	18.01	10.48	16.28	16.82	9.92	17.17	17.76	9.40
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	8.03	9.21	6.70	7.92	9.00	6.65	8.17	9.17	6.84	8.65	9.90	6.94	8.78	10.17	7.25	9.23	10.75	7.39	9.53	10.93	7.64
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	7.75	8.10	7.12	8.36	9.03	7.13	8.91	9.38	7.65	8.53	8.98	7.54	8.93	9.25	8.23	9.38	9.64	8.87	9.97	10.68	8.64
Occupation in protective services	13.99	15.29	7.37	14.25	15.87	7.67	14.26	15.14	7.43	14.78	15.70	7.70	17.21	18.43	8.67	16.38	17.59	9.18	16.48	17.64	10.57
Childcare and home support workers	9.00	8.86	9.16	9.64	9.95	9.15	9.77	10.04	9.47	10.63	11.68	9.89	10.82	10.48	11.18	11.66	12.17	11.28	11.04	12.07	10.34
Sales and service occupations n.e.c., including occupations in travel and accommodati	8.37	9.22	6.79	8.76	9.51	7.22	8.88	9.73	7.19	9.24	10.05	7.54	9.49	10.49	7.65	9.62	10.45	8.07	10.45	11.31	8.61
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	13.94	14.20	9.96	14.44	14.72	10.49	14.89	15.05	11.85	14.90	15.14	10.94	15.38	15.57	12.23	15.97	16.19	12.00	16.24	16.48	11.73
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	16.63	16.63	x	18.67	18.69	x	19.04	19.12	x	16.94	17.09	x	18.29	18.31	x	19.13	19.12	x	21.42	21.42	x
Construction trades	14.00	14.07	x	14.31	14.39	x	15.14	15.23	x	15.29	15.27	x	14.92	15.02	x	15.86	15.94	x	16.09	16.18	x
Other trades occupations	15.13	15.29	10.20	15.95	16.07	10.94	16.33	16.47	10.51	16.58	16.80	8.77	16.82	16.93	x	17.56	17.67	x	17.56	17.68	x
Transport and equipment operators	13.20	13.40	11.12	13.18	13.39	11.40	13.51	13.47	13.84	13.78	13.93	12.23	14.26	14.39	13.10	15.02	15.19	13.15	14.86	15.06	12.67
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	11.49	11.97	8.49	11.53	12.02	9.05	12.07	12.36	9.64	11.77	12.06	9.57	13.21	13.49	11.27	13.12	13.51	10.26	13.85	14.31	10.28
Occupations unique to primary industry	10.73	11.07	7.59	10.97	11.26	7.56	11.75	12.17	7.88	11.74	12.10	7.89	12.09	12.27	9.95	12.49	12.75	10.38	13.26	13.76	10.01
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	12.76	13.00	9.29	12.80	13.00	9.37	13.40	13.70	9.14	13.65	13.99	9.09	14.26	14.50	9.95	14.18	14.71	8.62	14.80	15.04	10.39
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	13.31	13.51	8.59	13.29	13.46	9.11	13.93	14.21	8.36	14.22	14.51	8.82	14.73	14.94	9.85	14.91	15.35	8.63	15.35	15.55	10.09
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	11.23	11.45	9.86	11.12	11.29	9.70	12.05	12.31	10.00	11.70	12.04	9.45	12.07	12.30	x	11.46	12.01	8.59	12.52	12.75	10.78

Note: Data is available from 1997-2005
Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0070

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TABLE 13B - Average Weekly Wages ($) of Employees by Occupation, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005

Occupation	Average Weekly Wages																				
	1999 Employment			2000 Employment			2001 Employment			2002 Employment			2003 Employment			2004 Employment			2005 Employment		
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Canada																					
Total employees	597.08	681.22	206.28	616.02	702.66	210.86	635.75	725.19	221.67	649.94	744.36	224.28	662.44	759.71	230.26	679.83	777.90	236.39	703.35	803.11	243.21
Management occupations	952.66	974.78	299.38	1,000.42	1,021.57	366.76	1,073.18	1,095.15	360.13	1,116.24	1,137.99	361.35	1,143.71	1,163.37	401.25	1,180.87	1,201.51	419.10	1,196.85	1,217.34	430.21
Senior management occupations	1,255.00	1,297.83	319.71	1,334.65	1,373.22	460.78	1,352.45	1,389.50	344.23	1,440.71	1,488.80	385.38	1,535.60	1,588.18	380.13	1,546.03	1,588.98	403.83	1,584.09	1,626.76	511.79
Other management occupations	923.82	944.37	296.71	969.64	989.55	355.09	1,049.99	1,070.85	361.72	1,090.03	1,110.22	362.08	1,109.87	1,127.41	404.52	1,143.94	1,162.76	421.31	1,162.38	1,181.40	419.07
Business, finance and administrative occupations	559.96	618.42	223.31	574.46	635.37	229.01	592.77	655.37	237.10	613.48	678.54	239.29	621.19	689.29	245.59	637.87	702.47	264.95	655.36	722.46	262.90
Professional occupations in business and finance	860.42	885.53	353.03	903.74	931.30	376.24	919.92	948.62	405.10	962.47	986.20	402.39	978.84	1,005.02	443.90	1,004.58	1,028.14	542.78	1,038.48	1,062.70	505.21
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	556.92	609.53	245.62	571.85	625.80	256.33	592.17	647.53	270.69	603.15	667.55	254.31	628.61	692.05	269.86	641.77	701.29	286.45	659.12	720.65	282.92
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	490.84	550.95	204.68	508.00	568.22	208.71	523.14	587.43	212.83	537.89	601.88	223.98	542.81	611.26	225.27	557.90	623.26	240.13	569.74	637.28	242.06
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	859.61	882.40	277.22	903.68	922.13	366.07	954.98	972.65	395.01	973.66	992.86	409.13	986.10	1,005.90	416.00	1,014.20	1,035.27	395.94	1,038.68	1,060.84	392.53
Health occupations	614.70	708.42	369.67	624.53	720.07	371.96	657.86	750.55	396.76	684.73	786.93	408.80	697.87	804.76	418.82	734.48	844.98	426.56	748.01	856.75	438.68
Professional occup. in health, nurse supervisors & registered nurses	744.94	854.53	455.91	770.69	873.72	470.70	802.12	899.17	511.66	850.44	955.12	532.86	871.29	986.91	554.35	925.45	1,039.94	559.18	925.64	1,044.42	560.92
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	507.69	587.85	299.63	509.55	593.48	303.31	545.93	632.01	314.36	547.01	639.09	320.31	564.93	661.79	321.14	589.14	687.16	341.92	614.64	710.96	355.47
Occup. in social science, education, government service & religion	760.48	851.79	361.94	763.43	855.06	380.21	768.54	864.84	392.75	794.59	891.17	395.76	805.18	905.61	407.15	832.89	942.97	415.60	866.32	976.14	417.04
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	669.69	753.72	270.85	678.44	761.87	286.94	697.01	780.34	303.93	724.03	804.15	309.05	736.75	822.81	316.19	757.52	852.41	337.74	803.63	894.28	337.96
Teachers and professors	831.47	930.58	425.16	833.18	934.57	445.13	828.92	941.13	450.13	856.31	973.39	450.57	865.58	984.33	466.61	897.50	1,025.72	469.31	920.21	1,052.19	466.22
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	548.54	684.65	196.76	572.00	719.37	174.85	569.80	708.60	185.11	579.38	732.52	201.79	591.00	753.96	186.63	630.63	794.80	188.29	652.84	829.57	228.54
Sales and service occupations	364.44	490.27	148.73	377.42	507.77	148.35	393.68	526.48	154.97	395.09	535.05	157.98	406.61	549.97	161.85	405.99	547.18	162.77	424.84	570.53	168.26
Wholes/tech/insur/real est. sales specialists/retail, wholes,grain buyers	694.83	727.11	242.77	710.37	741.45	238.94	729.79	763.71	240.36	743.64	784.22	244.39	757.32	801.25	250.61	761.93	798.72	227.90	793.33	830.65	264.67
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, incl. retail trade super.	288.89	425.53	140.29	304.94	443.76	140.56	314.53	453.65	144.73	318.82	464.71	146.09	327.43	486.26	147.58	327.62	475.83	149.29	333.69	483.09	154.14
Chefs/cooks/occupations in food & beverage service, incl. supervisors	289.88	381.06	149.53	300.67	401.34	149.74	310.59	407.93	163.06	309.89	417.49	165.63	326.84	433.50	172.45	326.18	433.45	172.44	342.92	456.78	181.02
Occupation in protective services	670.40	741.37	177.61	674.70	753.75	175.08	712.95	793.77	185.18	727.59	809.13	189.22	729.83	804.75	208.58	717.19	801.24	201.93	776.52	854.53	189.21
Childcare and home support workers	334.93	439.06	187.66	316.88	430.41	177.89	336.28	448.11	195.29	344.96	464.58	208.68	351.77	470.50	210.22	352.52	470.26	216.37	363.80	484.12	216.93
Sales/service occup.incl. in travel/accomm/attendants rec/sport/super.	318.12	427.15	144.99	323.91	438.08	144.59	334.55	452.41	149.04	337.85	458.80	152.01	349.17	472.66	156.18	353.02	479.22	157.28	368.31	497.35	163.63
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	664.84	695.53	193.63	688.15	719.27	197.37	710.30	741.28	221.47	722.40	752.94	223.81	736.25	769.86	223.62	746.85	781.11	234.78	770.80	805.26	234.89
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	860.88	865.20	x	895.57	898.98	x	936.67	942.20	x	936.12	947.65	266.50	953.14	963.27	313.25	976.84	981.16	x	1,004.64	1,008.65	x
Construction trades	681.16	698.41	256.84	709.55	727.49	256.09	725.34	743.00	245.20	731.06	749.63	268.57	748.71	766.22	261.00	761.30	780.85	280.83	770.97	790.20	303.34
Other trades occupations	709.16	723.43	186.78	734.26	748.48	208.34	752.31	766.76	255.88	773.39	785.55	242.89	788.82	802.95	258.15	801.82	816.94	246.50	825.52	840.73	242.01
Transport and equipment operators	634.16	682.85	212.45	655.13	706.46	208.93	677.98	728.53	229.21	694.98	734.76	236.88	708.37	763.91	235.59	715.82	771.69	248.01	747.57	804.00	251.73
Trades helpers/construction/transportation labourers & related occup.	519.83	569.32	150.78	525.14	571.59	154.95	550.25	598.27	174.71	551.05	598.48	177.88	565.20	617.29	175.04	574.58	625.36	193.29	591.13	645.15	188.37
Occupations unique to primary industry	555.44	627.48	125.33	580.30	649.20	131.46	614.75	681.19	154.12	618.70	690.57	145.97	640.86	711.99	150.98	660.28	723.96	154.04	680.83	748.28	161.59
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	563.50	579.41	172.40	585.97	601.12	186.20	605.56	621.96	199.81	611.10	629.13	189.14	634.77	652.47	196.40	646.60	666.57	201.25	663.36	682.10	211.35
Machine operators/assemblers in mfg, incl. supervisors	587.34	599.17	189.25	607.79	619.43	203.19	630.54	643.32	217.09	636.55	649.75	208.01	662.14	675.01	213.73	675.94	690.71	211.97	694.97	708.34	236.36
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	470.03	497.69	148.32	487.48	514.27	157.66	492.37	520.00	170.05	490.93	524.85	163.91	511.15	543.97	171.62	516.71	551.99	186.08	538.41	571.93	178.47

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TABLE 13B - Average Weekly Wages ($) of Employees by Occupation, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 - cont'd

	Average Weekly Wages																							
	1999			2000			2001			2002			2003			2004			2005					
		Employment			Employment			Employment			Employment			Employment			Employment			Employment		
Occupation	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
Total employees	504.77	580.76	166.26	523.89	599.67	178.66	543.33	617.34	181.18	559.11	638.70	185.02	574.14	656.78	188.44	588.07	673.63	201.49	607.46	693.51	207.44
Management occupations	789.47	805.16	230.94	815.72	832.77	331.25	851.68	868.18	308.30	950.09	973.80	208.64	953.81	965.21	463.62	987.80	1,011.22	387.20	1,027.73	1,046.21	403.13
Senior management occupations	1,047.07	1,064.69	x	928.27	983.26	x	1,091.60	1,148.90	x	1,347.67	1,380.25	x	1,349.17	1,400.31	x	1,132.49	1,251.11	x	1,367.75	1,378.21	x
Other management occupations	771.38	786.92	218.60	810.06	826.28	342.14	837.00	851.66	315.31	914.45	937.41	203.86	923.57	932.69	501.84	975.86	993.37	414.08	999.44	1,018.07	400.37
Business, finance and administrative occupations	474.99	527.65	189.43	484.42	546.08	183.95	517.80	571.16	199.68	527.46	582.10	193.80	528.85	583.36	209.81	542.86	598.00	229.15	543.61	602.41	228.36
Professional occupations in business and finance	698.73	736.82	223.27	742.05	779.30	320.10	810.60	823.36	x	870.02	887.37	x	833.20	866.70	x	934.62	960.67	x	927.58	963.40	481.56
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	482.55	530.98	200.47	497.29	553.05	200.28	507.43	556.22	227.69	525.31	574.18	227.94	541.69	589.99	223.70	538.25	603.71	235.40	562.58	628.44	218.93
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	427.61	480.32	181.69	437.21	500.64	167.87	467.66	523.02	186.98	476.24	532.23	175.21	478.54	532.08	193.52	485.51	533.19	224.86	484.08	537.22	209.14
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	738.19	752.90	256.72	800.66	825.39	282.19	859.38	874.17	386.06	832.03	850.11	297.28	851.32	872.94	265.88	868.35	877.55	x	921.06	938.92	315.62
Health occupations	561.46	633.08	329.85	567.62	633.76	338.68	611.15	682.88	326.61	645.67	720.63	371.86	650.41	720.77	383.22	707.63	791.46	383.30	715.38	782.37	430.02
Professional occup. in health, nurse supervisors & registered nurses	705.99	789.11	433.68	724.98	816.89	435.29	737.60	832.39	409.11	835.62	945.82	490.75	806.37	895.54	496.93	908.32	993.47	502.13	910.79	1,002.40	568.65
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	425.32	485.29	233.38	457.73	510.48	262.21	510.59	589.89	246.49	504.60	570.82	277.00	523.81	592.21	293.00	580.72	632.93	317.45	587.77	644.76	321.56
Occup. in social science, education, government service & religion	685.08	756.78	248.57	710.70	779.00	308.12	710.22	778.50	328.65	739.63	815.97	308.99	757.27	838.24	334.78	782.59	863.19	345.93	810.62	889.00	352.86
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	615.97	676.74	233.01	643.02	707.19	237.55	668.61	666.33	212.69	672.51	700.42	203.10	685.58	756.34	273.34	686.79	745.41	256.45	725.58	774.87	323.56
Teachers and professors	733.92	813.81	259.04	767.25	840.07	361.10	786.65	867.03	397.82	817.79	892.18	394.55	815.17	906.45	376.96	842.59	942.21	383.60	874.86	982.01	366.74
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	448.85	589.00	127.66	549.52	645.71	167.88	489.19	606.51	138.48	489.61	646.27	201.45	546.28	735.63	135.31	512.30	643.16	134.22	529.40	698.23	141.97
Sales and service occupations	303.30	405.01	125.12	323.64	424.87	130.40	330.71	426.82	126.85	341.83	445.24	135.36	352.36	466.06	145.30	347.82	460.61	146.22	370.84	486.22	148.38
Wholes/tech/insur/real est. sales specialists/retail, wholes,grain buyers	586.18	623.42	224.48	626.36	659.67	206.21	641.97	679.28	202.46	696.56	727.49	173.30	657.43	728.89	212.14	650.83	689.52	192.88	685.56	724.75	173.05
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, incl. retail trade super.	247.75	359.43	122.90	246.04	350.23	124.88	258.18	357.78	124.08	278.30	390.33	127.58	270.46	394.81	132.21	288.64	420.02	129.80	310.27	439.40	136.00
Chefs/cooks/occupations in food & beverage service, incl. supervisors	253.76	320.58	133.30	282.02	362.24	133.31	305.17	388.12	141.97	284.50	365.04	138.01	293.28	356.73	156.49	311.07	387.66	162.27	334.32	427.84	158.45
Occupation in protective services	546.17	632.55	107.51	545.62	650.12	121.15	564.67	623.88	106.08	585.39	645.33	125.05	688.22	765.63	150.95	633.01	714.52	145.96	648.73	732.28	160.64
Childcare and home support workers	247.16	340.13	149.04	291.86	373.11	164.46	270.02	365.62	161.48	283.41	430.53	179.80	313.77	384.62	239.36	309.48	442.55	210.62	288.01	435.34	187.73
Sales/service occup.incl. in travel/accomm/attendants rec/sport/super.	274.25	358.66	116.03	290.35	370.39	127.10	291.05	376.13	120.64	307.92	391.80	132.71	304.92	405.03	131.71	312.57	402.71	143.27	344.00	434.35	148.86
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	579.21	605.88	162.20	592.85	621.55	188.21	617.74	639.04	217.63	624.45	649.80	198.46	631.54	656.12	231.67	668.92	693.60	242.32	679.10	704.97	210.33
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	716.02	716.02	x	769.36	771.03	x	799.18	808.42	x	755.85	769.61	x	758.21	779.62	x	806.84	812.53	x	922.00	924.12	x
Construction trades	572.71	580.98	x	581.34	590.52	x	622.71	630.70	x	625.36	633.22	x	617.79	625.94	x	647.57	656.91	x	656.83	667.92	x
Other trades occupations	616.27	632.13	140.85	647.40	658.74	193.82	682.31	673.47	180.26	675.51	689.92	163.30	682.02	690.15	x	722.70	732.56	x	718.21	730.04	x
Transport and equipment operators	578.80	614.34	207.29	567.61	609.45	214.17	590.23	619.61	268.28	617.89	654.45	237.84	610.19	648.01	271.54	676.12	710.67	300.57	683.67	698.83	260.24
Trades helpers/construction/transportation labourers & related occup.	454.57	507.42	125.73	447.01	506.73	148.02	485.27	522.55	163.33	471.87	513.63	155.70	510.46	556.93	196.32	514.55	559.79	178.79	550.27	600.42	162.20
Occupations unique to primary industry	512.16	554.45	120.72	525.70	559.60	126.46	551.46	607.81	129.11	580.76	623.37	132.83	592.40	627.84	157.30	597.83	651.03	162.29	630.24	702.57	162.02
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	503.07	526.65	168.05	507.65	528.14	156.50	533.56	559.24	167.58	542.03	570.32	162.07	569.61	591.53	175.00	585.55	604.56	151.77	595.72	618.58	181.12
Machine operators/assemblers in mfg, incl. supervisors	533.16	549.18	152.58	531.99	547.10	163.35	559.00	579.35	155.78	570.30	592.22	161.76	592.27	609.98	180.69	601.05	633.11	152.20	625.46	642.45	183.05
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	419.58	457.21	180.79	424.38	458.23	148.05	468.38	504.10	180.72	445.62	488.67	162.49	481.86	497.35	x	431.88	485.18	151.08	472.72	511.12	178.57

Note: Data is available from 1997-2005

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review 2005, CD-ROM 71F0004XCB; CANSIM Table 282-0070

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TABLE 14 - Employees by Industry & Union Coverage, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 (persons in '000s)

Union coverage	1999 Total Employees	1999 Union Coverage	1999 No Union Coverage	2000 Total Employees	2000 Union Coverage	2000 No Union Coverage	2001 Total Employees	2001 Union Coverage	2001 No Union Coverage	2002 Total Employees	2002 Union Coverage	2002 No Union Coverage	2003 Total Employees	2003 Union Coverage	2003 No Union Coverage	2004 Total Employees	2004 Union Coverage	2004 No Union Coverage	2005 Total Employees	2005 Union Coverage	2005 No Union Coverage
Canada																					
Total employees	11,973.8	3,864.2	8,109.6	12,390.5	4,009.4	8,381.1	12,869.5	4,095.6	8,573.8	12,995.9	4,105.0	8,810.9	13,270.5	4,278.3	8,992.2	13,493.6	4,277.7	9,215.9	13,658.2	4,374.4	9,283.8
Goods-producing sector	3,052.7	1,016.0	2,036.7	3,162.8	1,070.2	2,092.6	3,166.8	1,043.2	2,123.7	3,264.6	1,062.3	2,202.3	3,284.7	1,063.7	2,211.0	3,327.2	1,057.0	2,270.2	3,316.4	1,055.9	2,260.5
Agriculture	125.9	4.9	121.0	124.2	4.5	119.7	117.5	4.8	112.7	118.2	4.8	113.4	118.5	4.6	113.9	117.1	8.2	110.9	127.3	7.1	120.1
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	218.4	62.5	155.9	228.7	68.9	159.8	234.8	63.0	171.9	226.8	59.0	167.7	233.5	62.1	171.4	237.3	59.7	177.5	255.6	62.5	193.1
Utilities	113.9	82.2	31.7	114.8	82.4	32.4	124.1	87.0	37.1	131.6	88.6	42.9	130.4	93.0	37.4	133.1	95.9	37.6	124.8	86.8	38.0
Construction	498.4	158.8	339.6	535.9	174.4	361.4	560.5	188.9	371.6	585.4	198.0	386.4	627.0	214.2	412.7	641.2	206.8	434.4	630.8	226.5	472.3
Manufacturing	2,096.1	707.8	1,388.5	2,159.3	740.0	1,419.2	2,129.9	689.5	1,430.4	2,182.7	710.9	1,481.1	2,185.3	700.8	1,475.5	2,198.5	688.7	1,509.8	2,109.9	673.0	1,436.9
Services-producing sector	8,921.0	2,848.1	6,072.9	9,227.6	2,939.2	6,288.4	9,502.7	3,052.5	6,450.2	9,731.4	3,122.7	6,608.7	9,975.8	3,194.6	6,781.2	10,166.5	3,220.7	6,945.7	10,341.8	3,318.5	7,023.3
Trade	1,894.5	263.3	1,631.2	1,981.9	280.8	1,681.1	2,062.1	298.8	1,763.3	2,111.0	297.0	1,814.0	2,165.8	315.2	1,850.6	2,204.8	311.6	1,893.1	2,262.1	319.5	1,942.5
Transportation and warehousing	605.4	269.5	335.9	633.3	276.1	357.3	640.4	283.0	357.4	633.0	277.3	355.7	648.8	283.5	365.2	659.9	282.0	377.8	661.8	281.4	380.4
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	731.5	72.3	659.3	729.5	79.8	649.6	748.9	81.3	667.6	763.9	81.9	682.0	773.8	77.7	696.1	812.9	81.5	731.4	821.9	76.7	745.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	570.4	32.8	537.6	612.4	32.6	579.8	662.5	36.7	625.7	659.9	37.7	622.2	652.9	35.6	617.2	696.8	36.6	620.2	680.9	46.4	634.6
Business, building and other support services	365.6	43.2	322.4	380.6	48.4	332.3	403.2	58.1	345.1	431.4	66.5	364.9	466.9	68.8	398.1	484.5	65.5	419.0	503.8	73.2	430.6
Educational services	923.1	680.4	242.6	929.1	669.6	259.5	934.4	685.6	248.6	960.3	706.4	253.9	977.0	707.7	269.3	988.2	718.9	289.3	1,050.7	756.0	294.7
Health care and social assistance	1,245.2	686.0	559.1	1,318.9	722.3	596.6	1,356.4	765.3	591.2	1,420.7	800.2	620.5	1,474.1	814.1	660.0	1,518.4	833.8	684.6	1,521.4	854.5	666.9
Information, culture and recreation	536.0	154.8	383.2	567.7	158.0	409.8	608.6	169.6	439.0	609.6	165.0	444.7	602.3	164.2	438.1	618.0	168.3	449.7	618.7	169.9	448.7
Accommodation and food services	817.1	56.9	760.2	846.2	71.7	774.6	851.9	66.1	785.8	893.6	71.2	822.4	909.7	73.6	836.1	926.1	67.6	858.5	911.8	77.6	834.2
Other services	454.3	46.8	407.7	455.4	45.4	410.0	448.8	45.9	403.0	457.1	50.4	406.7	485.8	53.5	432.3	471.6	48.9	422.7	473.6	52.7	420.9
Public administration	776.0	542.4	233.6	772.6	544.5	228.1	785.4	562.0	223.5	780.8	568.0	219.8	818.7	600.6	218.1	825.4	806.1	219.3	833.1	610.5	222.5
Public sector	2,701.5	2,015.8	685.6	2,800.1	2,070.4	729.8	2,843.7	2,137.1	706.6	2,809.1	2,202.6	706.5	2,956.0	2,232.8	723.4	3,044.5	2,298.3	746.2	3,123.1	2,342.2	780.8
Private sector	9,272.3	1,848.3	7,424.0	9,590.3	1,938.1	7,651.3	9,825.7	1,958.5	7,867.3	10,086.8	1,902.4	8,104.4	10,314.5	2,045.7	8,268.8	10,448.1	1,979.4	8,469.7	10,535.0	2,032.2	8,502.9

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TABLE 14 - Employees by Industry & Union Coverage, Canada and Nova Scotia, 1999-2005 (persons in '000s) - cont'd

Union coverage	1999 Total Employees	1999 Union Coverage	1999 No Union Coverage	2000 Total Employees	2000 Union Coverage	2000 No Union Coverage	2001 Total Employees	2001 Union Coverage	2001 No Union Coverage	2002 Total Employees	2002 Union Coverage	2002 No Union Coverage	2003 Total Employees	2003 Union Coverage	2003 No Union Coverage	2004 Total Employees	2004 Union Coverage	2004 No Union Coverage	2005 Total Employees	2005 Union Coverage	2005 No Union Coverage
Nova Scotia																					
Total employees	345.1	104.2	241.0	354.3	108.0	246.3	361.7	107.6	254.2	361.5	101.5	260.0	374.4	106.7	267.8	382.6	109.4	273.2	382.5	112.3	270.2
Goods-producing sector	73.5	21.3	52.2	73.9	19.6	54.3	73.2	20.1	53.1	75.1	18.2	56.8	76.9	19.2	57.8	76.7	18.5	58.2	74.0	17.0	57.0
Agriculture	4.3	x	4.2	4.4	x	4.1	4.3	x	4.1	4.2	x	4.1	3.9	x	3.7	3.2	x	3.0	3.9	x	3.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas	9.2	3.0	6.2	9.0	1.7	7.4	9.0	2.1	6.9	9.5	1.1	8.3	9.0	1.8	7.3	8.2	1.4	6.9	9.5	1.5	8.1
Utilities	1.9	1.2	0.7	2.6	1.7	1.0	2.7	1.8	0.9	2.8	1.3	1.5	2.6	1.5	1.1	2.5	1.1	1.4	2.4	1.5	0.9
Construction	16.0	4.8	11.2	17.7	4.8	12.9	17.8	5.7	12.1	17.4	3.8	13.6	18.0	4.1	13.9	20.7	5.3	15.4	19.8	4.9	14.9
Manufacturing	42.1	12.2	29.9	40.2	11.2	29.0	39.4	10.3	29.1	41.2	12.0	29.2	43.4	11.7	31.7	42.1	10.5	31.6	38.4	8.9	29.5
Services-producing sector	271.6	82.8	188.8	280.4	88.5	191.9	288.5	87.4	201.0	286.4	83.3	203.1	297.5	87.5	210.0	305.9	90.8	215.0	308.5	95.2	213.2
Trade	60.9	3.6	57.2	65.3	4.4	60.8	67.3	4.0	63.2	68.1	3.1	65.0	67.7	2.9	64.7	68.3	3.3	65.0	69.9	3.7	66.2
Transportation and warehousing	16.7	9.1	7.6	17.4	7.9	9.5	17.2	7.6	9.6	16.8	8.2	8.6	16.3	8.4	7.9	18.2	8.0	10.1	18.6	8.5	10.1
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	20.6	1.1	19.6	18.4	1.5	16.9	17.9	1.2	16.7	18.8	0.7	18.0	19.0	0.9	18.0	18.2	1.2	17.0	18.1	1.5	16.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	12.0	0.6	11.5	11.7	0.7	11.0	13.0	0.6	12.3	11.6	0.6	10.9	13.4	0.7	12.7	13.6	x	13.2	14.0	0.6	13.3
Business, building and other support services	11.0	0.5	10.5	13.4	0.6	12.9	14.4	0.8	13.6	18.4	1.1	17.4	18.7	1.2	17.5	21.8	0.9	20.9	20.8	1.3	19.4
Educational services	30.1	20.9	9.2	31.0	22.1	8.9	31.9	23.0	9.0	31.4	24.1	7.3	32.9	23.0	9.9	34.9	25.6	9.3	34.3	24.2	10.1
Health care and social assistance	42.1	25.1	17.1	45.1	26.9	18.2	44.9	26.9	18.0	44.4	24.8	19.7	47.1	26.9	20.2	48.0	28.5	19.4	50.6	31.6	19.0
Information, culture and recreation	13.3	3.8	9.5	14.4	4.4	10.0	16.6	3.7	12.9	14.4	3.1	11.3	14.4	3.4	11.1	14.6	3.4	11.2	13.7	3.3	10.5
Accommodation and food services	25.7	1.3	24.3	23.9	1.6	22.2	26.1	2.0	24.1	27.6	1.7	25.9	27.4	1.2	26.1	28.6	0.9	27.6	28.1	1.5	26.6
Other services	13.8	1.0	12.8	13.9	1.1	12.8	12.6	0.6	12.0	10.5	0.8	9.8	13.6	0.9	12.7	12.5	0.7	11.8	13.1	0.7	12.4
Public administration	25.5	15.9	9.6	26.0	17.2	8.8	26.6	17.0	9.6	24.5	15.2	9.3	27.1	17.9	9.2	27.2	17.8	9.5	27.4	18.3	9.1
Public sector	92.1	65.8	26.3	96.5	68.8	27.7	96.3	68.3	28.0	92.0	65.8	26.2	98.2	69.2	29.0	103.7	74.8	28.9	105.0	75.5	29.4
Private sector	253.1	38.3	214.7	257.8	39.2	218.6	265.5	39.3	226.1	269.5	35.7	233.7	276.2	37.5	238.7	278.9	34.6	244.3	277.5	36.7	240.8

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